

Josiah Barlow - born 182 , died 1894 when he was thrown from a colt.
 married 20 Jan. 1847 to Sarah Jane Hannah, born 1826.
 In 1852 John Barlow his father transferred 124 acres on Stony Creek to
 Josiah. Josiah was a blacksmith, copper, and made and repaired shoes.
 the first four names listed below were found in 1860 & 1870 census
 1. John P. Barlow - born 1853

2. Martha E. Barlow - born 1856, Married Howard Hill

3. Miriam R. Barlow - born 1859

4. Mary M. Barlow - born 1862, Married Amos M. Gay

* 5. Silas L. Barlow - born 28 May 1865. Married Levia Margaret Duncan,
 born 25 Dec. 1875, died 21 Apr. 1952, both buried Cochran Cem.

1. Lee Sherman Barlow - born 29 Sept. 1899, died
 Married 19 Dec. 1935 to Margaret VanReenen, born 3 Aug. 1910,
 daughter of William VanReenen and Naomi McCoy VanReenen

1. Carolyn Margaret Barlow - born 3 Jan. 1938

2. Marolyn Lee Barlow - born 3 Jan. 1938

2. Ward Richard Barlow, I - born 23 Nov. 1901, died 5 Jan. 1986.
 Married Louise Foster, born 10 Apr. 1912 at Hinton, WV daughter
 of Author Foster and Edna Hannah Foster

1. Ward Richard Barlow, II, - born 24 June 1940.

Married 24 June 1961 to Margaret Ann Small,
 born 7 Oct. 1942 at Huttonsville, WV

1. Ward Richard Barlow, III - born 7 July 1963
 at Washington, DC

2. Fred Herbert Barlow - born 16 May 1967 at Hyattsville,
 MD. Married 18 June 1988 to Geneve Faith Burks,
 daughter of Johnny Burks and Diller Burks

* 2. Lawrence Robert Barlow - born 24 June 1940.
 Married 19 Apr. 1968 to Lana Louise Moore,
 born 30 May 1948, daughter of Earl Moore and Mary
 Weatherholt Moore

1. Jeffrey Preston Barlow - born 6 Nov. 1966

2. Tamela Charlene Barlow - born 19 Oct. 1969

3. Lois Ann Barlow - born 29 Nov. 1945. Married 9 Mar. 1963
 to Marvin Gray Beverage, born 12 May 1935, son of Albert
 Beverage and Fannie Beverage

1. Marvin Gray Beverage, Jr. - born 3 Dec. 1964

2. Richard Albert Beverage - born 6 Sept. 1968

3. Ethel Elizabeth Barlow - born 1 Mar. 1905

4. Mabel Margaret Barlow - born 6 July 1908, died 18 Sept. 1980 at
 Elkins. Buried Cochran Cem.

5. Albert T. Barlow - Married Agatha Hambrick

6. Clark Barlow -

7. Cora Barlow -

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10. Russell Francis Barlow - born 26 July 1916, died 7 Feb. 1980,
 buried Cochran Cem. Married 31 Dec. 1955 to Betty Grace Moore,
 born 8 Mar. 1929, daughter of John Moore and Grace Daniels
 Moore

1. Julia Francis Barlow - born 15 Jan. 1960,

12. Henry Barlow - born 21 Feb. 1827, died 19 Feb. 1909,

Married twice:

#1 - 30 Jan. 1855 to Rachel Cameron Hickman, born 2 June 1836,
died 1851, age 25. Daughter of Elliot Hickman of
Bath County

#2 - 22 Sept. 1862 to Nancy Jane Matilda Cassell, daughter of
William Wanless and Nancy Wilson

children of marriage to Rachel Cameron Hickman:

1. Rachel Barlow - born 1858, died in infancy

2. Evaline Barlow - born 1860, died in infancy

3. Mary Alice Barlow - born 1857. Married George Kenna Gay

1. Clara Gay - married E. B. Hill

2. Grace Gay -

3. Henry Reeves Gay -

4. Hoxie C. Gay -

5. Lottie Gay -

6. Mabel Gay -

4. John Elliot Barlow - born 28 Nov. 1861, died 23 May 1926.

Married 25 Aug. 1885 to Morella M. M. Smith, born 24 Feb. 1866,
died 19 Sept. 1939, daughter of Andrew Smith and Susan Kellison
Smith

1. Roxie Florence Barlow - born 1893. Married Oct. 1916 to Frank
Young, born 1888 at Edray, son of John Young and Alwilda Moore
Young

1. Alwilda Young - died at birth

2. Mary Frances Young - died at age three

3. Virginia Lou Young - lives at Edray

2. Henry Barlow - born 19 Feb. 1909, died 2 July 1986 at Beckley.

3. Charles H. Barlow - died age 37, WWI veteran

4. Clarence L. Barlow - Married Ann McGraw

1. Clarence Lee Barlow - died in infancy

2. James Elliot Barlow - lived in Roanoke, VA

5. Frankie Barlow - died age two

6. Fred Barlow - Married Nell McNeill, moved to Akron, OH

1. Betty Ann Barlow -

2. Fred M. Barlow -

7. John Barlow - Married Sylvia Ramsey,

1. John David Barlow - died in 1944, age 40

2. Robert Lee Barlow -

8. Katie Virginia Barlow - died 1953 in auto accident

Married twice:

#1 - Hamilton Burns

#2 - Thomas Bokisky of Akron, OH

9. Myrtle Barlow - died age 17

10. Page Barlow - died 1947 in auto accident

Children of marriage to Nancy Jane Matilda Wanless:

1. Amos Neal Barlow - born 1865. Married Frances Sharp,

1. Pearl Barlow - Married twice:

#1 - Charles Bratton

#2 - Jim Smith - (lives near Fairview)

2. Ruby Barlow - born , Married Allen Rose Cochran,

1. Nancy Frances Cochran - Married Daniel E. Woodridge

2. W. N. "Bill" Cochran - Married Katherine Gravette

2. William Anderson Barlow - born 1866, died 1955.
Married Sept. 1896 to Ella Frances Silva, daughter of Robert Silva and Martha Young Silva
 1. William Glen Barlow - born 1900, died 1975.
Married Hallie Virginia Beverage, born 1 Jan. 1902 at Monterey, daughter of Coe Beverage and Sadie Lightner
 1. Nancy Talmont Barlow - married Bruns -
 2. Dameron Jane Barlow - born 1903, died 1970.
Married Allen Sharp
 3. Ira Anderson Barlow - born 21 Mar. 1912,
died 12 Mar. 1980 at Charlottesville, Va.
Married 4 Oct. 1934 at Oakland Md. to
Hazel Dumire, daughter of Ellis Dumire
 1. William Ira Barlow - born 9 Mar. 1937 at
Covington, Va. died 18 July 1982 of cancer at
Onoto. Married Carol Lewis. no children
3. Regina Ruth Barlow - born 1868, died 1939
Married James N. White, born 1864, died 1928.
Both are buried White Cemetery at Woodrow,
 1. Mable Florence White - born died in infancy
 2. Page White - born Married Dora Winkler from Cabin
Creek and became a minister.
 3. Albert White - born died in California 1969.
Married Annabelle Kenny.
 4. Minnie White - born 28 Nov. 1904, died 3 Dec. 1968.
Married Andrew Galford.
 1. Robert Galford - Married Ella Shue
 1. Randall Galford -
 2. Lowell Galford - Married Frances
 1. Joel Robert Galford - born 1991
 2. Mabel Galford - Married Garland Galford
 1. Charlotte Galford - Married Keith Alderman
 1. Jody Alderman -
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
 2. Gary Galford - Married twice:
#1 - Theresa Hause
#2 -
4. Page Dameron Barlow - born 1873,
5. Asa Clark Barlow - born 29 May 1875, died 15 Dec. 1962,
Married Effie Missouri Moore, born 21 Oct. 1873,
died 4 Sept. 1959, daughter of Samuel Moore and Mary Sharp
Moore
 1. Grayce Cassell Barlow - born 26 June 1897,
died 10 July 1980 at Joliet, IL. Married Harry Bray
Hill, Sr.
 1. Harry Bray Hill, Jr. -
 2. Asa Edward Hill -
 2. Samuel Henry Barlow - born 14 Dec. 1901, died Jan. 1977,
buried Married 24 April 1905 to Mary Margaret
Price, born 24 April 1905, died , daughter of
John Price and Mary Williams Price
 1. Jean Barlow - born 1926
 2. Samuel Price Barlow - born 8 Aug. 1928,
Married 29 Sept. 1956 to Mary Lou Barnasky,

born 12 Sept. 1934, daughter of Stephen Barnasky and
Blanch Moats Barnasky

1. Samuel Price Barlow, II - born 31 Aug. 1958
2. John Calvin Barlow - born 9 Mar. 1961
3. Martha Ann Barlow - born 28 Oct. 1965
3. Asa Calvin Barlow - born 1931
4. Mary Margaret Barlow - born 1932
5. Nancy Ligon Barlow - born 1934
3. Guy Price Barlow - born 7 Oct. 1905, died
Married Fleeta Lang Robertson, born 12 Oct. 1920,
died daughter of Edward Robertson and
Daisy Rucher Robertson
1. Asa Edward Barlow - born 19 Oct. 1940
4. Robert Moore Barlow - born 18 Aug. 1907, died 11 July 1934
5. Ivan Neal Barlow - born 2 Feb. 1912, died
Married to Mary Frances Faulkner born 8 Dec. 1917,
daughter of Guy Faulkner and Frances Johnson Faulkner
6. Effie Florence Barlow - born 24 Dec. 1876, married Joel
Edward Peck, born 8 Feb. 1875, died 21 Mar. 1931, son of
Daniel Peck and Caroline Hill Peck
1. Veda Ruth Peck - born 24 Mar. 1900,
2. Harry Ammen Peck - born 1 Jan. 1903,
Married Charlotte Greenough Rose, born
1. Joel Ammen Peck - born 30 Dec. 1936
2. Jonathan Edward Peck -
3. Edward Peck - born 18 Jan. 1906, Married Mary Elizabeth
Maloney, born
1. Nancy Ellen Peck -
2. William Henry Peck -
7. Albert Barlow - born 1879
8. David Levi Barlow - married Lulu E. Moore

13. Mary Ann Barlow - born 1829, died of diptheria,
Married 12 Sept. 1853 to James Auldridge, son of Thomas and Elizabeth
Auldridge
1. Henry Auldridge - Married Virginia Miller
 2. Miriam Auldridge -
 3. Elizabeth Auldridge -
 4. Moffett Auldridge -
 5. George Amos Clark Auldridge -

14. Mirion or Miriam Barlow - died young,
Married 4 Sept. 1834 to Samuel Auldridge, son of William Auldridge
1. John Auldridge - killed in Civil War
 2. Mary Ann Auldridge - died young
 3. William Auldridge - Married Effie Pennell
 1. Sandy Brown Auldridge - born 31 Mar. 1881, died 4 Aug. 1963.
Married Emma Jane Smith
 1. Gail Auldridge - born 4 July 1904,
 2. Lucy Auldridge - Married Mr. _____ Duff
 2. Rueben Henry Auldridge -
Married Belvesta Gutshall
 1. Robert Lee Auldridge -

2. William Auldridge -
3. Mary Auldridge - Married Harry Harper,
 1. Edith Harper - Married Sam Burdette
 2. Frank Harper - Married Grace Johnson
 3. Henry Harper -
 4. Julian Harper - Married Dora Browning

15 Amos Barlow - born 11 Jan. 1831, died 1 Nov. 1908.

Married twice:

- #1 - 6 Nov. 1850 to Mary Ann Moore, died 19 Mar. 1856,
daughter of Isaac Moore and Catherine Gillilan
- #2 - 22 Feb. 1859 to Mary Susan Poage, born 8 May 1843,
died , daughter of James R. Poage and
Elizabeth Harper

Amos Barlow was a farmer and merchant. He received 72 acres of land on Stony Creek from his brother John J. when John left in 1852. Amos later sold the land to Henry Barlow in 1859.

Children of first marriage:

1. Julia Frances Barlow - born 12 Feb. 1852, died 5 Sept. 1861
2. Melvina Agnes Barlow - born 20 June 1855, died 3 Aug. 1875,
Married Samuel B. Loury, Jr.

Children of second marriage:

1. Letcher Davis Barlow - born 20 June 1860, died 29 Nov. 1885,
Married 20 Dec. 1882 to Nannie Arbogast
2. Lucy Belle Barlow - born 6 May 1868, died 6 Sep. 1904 at Staunton,
Va. Married 6 Mar. 1890 to C. Rice Moore.
 1. Clarence B. Moore - born 14 Dec. 1891, died 24 Jun. 1991 in
Asheville, NC. Married Georgia Sharp
 1. Richard C. Moore -
 2. Clifford Moore -
 3. Elizabeth Moore -
 4. Howard Moore -
 5. Mary Maude Moore -
 6. Verna May Moore -
3. William Howard Barlow - born 17 March 1875, died 11 Sept. 1957,
Married Anna Mary Patterson, died 20 Jan. 1959, daughter of
Dr. and Elizabeth Patterson Pruyn
 1. Helen Pruyn Barlow - born 8 Oct. 1905, at Marlinton
4. Samuel Isaac Barlow - born 7 Apr. 1877, died 7 Feb. 1961.
Married three times:
 - #1 - 29 Nov. 1899 to Lula Myrtle Moore, born
died 17 Feb. 1906 after childbirth of her child
Myrtle. Lula was the daughter of Charlie Moore of
Browns Creek
 - #2 - 11 Jun 1907 to Mabel Golda Wagner born
died 10 Mar. 1933, daughter of George Wagner and
Sarah McComb Wagner
 - #3 - 21 Jun 1938 to Mabel Gum, daughter of Otho Gum and Emma Dilley
Gum. Samuel and Mabel had a son that died in infancy

Children of first marriage:

1. Mary Madeline Barlow - born 24 Sept. 1901, died 12 Apr. 1979.
Married Harry B. McComb, son of A.B. McComb, no children
2. Myrtle Lula Barlow - born 7 Feb. 1906, died 2 Dec. 1974.
Married Melvin Atkins,
 1. Dr. Raymond Melvin Atkins - born 21 Jan. 1927,
Married Julia Anne Todd Lacey. He had a farm on Jerico Rd.
 1. Julia Anne Todd Atkins - born 4 July 1952
 2. Thomas Barlow Atkins - born 5 Mar. 1954
 3. Raymond Melvin Atkins, Jr. - born 26 Mar. 1956
 4. William Paul Atkins - born 17 Mar. 1962
 5. Elizabeth Woodcock Atkins - born 23 Jan. 1964

Children of second marriage:

1. Nellie Watson Barlow - born 13 Nov. 1908,
Married in Catlettsburg, KY on 1 July 1930 to Blake Hughston
Shrader, died 2 May 1979, son of Bliss Shrader and Blanche
Hively Shrader
 1. son - died soon after birth
2. Alice Louise Barlow - born 15 Dec. 1913.
Married twice:
 - #1 - 3 July 1929 to Frank Beard, died 28 Oct. 1933
in an automobile accident.
 - #2 - 18 July 1942 to Alfred McNeel
 1. George Cameron McNeel - born 29 Jan. 1944
 2. Anne Malory McNeel - born 30 Sept. 1945,
Married June 1972 to Marvin Alderman, Jr.
 1. Jimmy Eric Alderman - born 26 Dec. 1972
 2. Andrew Paul Alderman - born 8 Nov. 1976
 3. Elizabeth McNeel - born 17 Mar. 1948
Married to Michael Eisenscher
3. Frank Maynard Barlow - born 30 April 1915,
4. Lucille Aileen Barlow - born 18 June 1918,
Married 17 May 1935 to Fred Campbell Burns, Sr.
born 31 Mar. 1919
 1. Fred Campbell Burns, Jr. - born 18 May 1936,
Married 21 Dec. 1958 to Carolyn Margaret Barlow,
born 3 Jan. 1938, daughter of Lee Barlow and Margaret
VanReenen Barlow
 1. Anne Campbell Burns - born 28 Sept. 1962
 2. John Barlow Burns - born 12 Nov. 1964
Married Denise
 - 1.
 2. Stephen Burns -
 3. Douglas Lee Burns - born 25 Sept. 1969
 2. Thomas Wayne Burns - born 14 April 1938,
Married Drema McNellan, daughter of Paul and Bertha
McNellan.
 1. Chris Burns - born 6 April 1965,
married Johnna
 - 1.
 - 2.
 2. Jeffrey Burns - born 18 May 1962,
Married twice:
 - #1 - Christina Cutlip
 - #2 -
 1. Allison Burns -
 - 2.

3. born 1995
3. Larry Lee Burns - born 1 April 1940
Married Sheila Wilmoth, daughter of Thurl and Lucille Wilmoth of Calhoun County.
 1. Patrick David Burns - born 3 Dec. 1966
 2. Michael Lee Burns - born 9 Feb. 1968
 3. Matthew Lyn Burns - born 26 June 1969
 4. twin girl
 5. twin girl
4. Linda Carole Burns - born 18 Aug. 1942,
Married Fredric Smith, son of Ray and Mildred Smith of Fayette County.
 1. Fredric David Smith - born 21 Jan. 1963
 2. Cynthia Aileen Smith - twin - born 29 Sept. 1964
 3. Debra Lynne Smith - twin - born 29 Sept. 1964
 4. Laura Rae Smith - born 12 July 1967
 5. Mark Allan Smith - born 6 July 1968
 6. Elizabeth Burns - born 8 March 1974
5. Opal Juanita Barlow - born 7 Oct. 1919, had name changed to Juanita Dixie Barlow.
Married three times:
 - #1 - 1935 to Robert Lee Baxter
 - #2 - 29 June 1942 to John Thomas Collins
 - #3 - 19 Nov. 1977 to Bydler Hewitt Patterson

Children by Baxter: *

 1. Robert William Baxter - born 21 July 1936

Children by Collins:

 1. John Thomas Collins, III - born 25 Nov. 1944
 2. Kenneth Ricardo Collins - born 14 Sept. 1946

Children by Gunter:

 1. Jeannette Elizabeth Gunter - born 22 Nov. 1957
6. Evelyn Freda Barlow - born 10 March 1923
Married John Hunter Williams, son of John Williams and Frona Flynn Williams. They live in Akron, OH
 1. John Hunter Williams, Jr. -
 2. Millie Williams -
5. Frank Pruyn Barlow - born 6 Mar. 1880, died 14 June 1895
6. Mary Susan Barlow - 9 July 1883, died 16 Jan. 1916 at York, Pa.
Married 11 Oct. 1899 to Harry P. Patterson. They lived in Huntersville, later moving to Monterey, Virginia where they ran a hotel. They then moved to York, Pa. where Mary Susan died.
 1. Elizabeth Patterson -
 2. Howard Patterson -
 3. Janet Patterson -
 4. Margaret Patterson -
 5. Richard Pruyn Patterson -
 6. Virginia Barlow Patterson -

BEALE FAMILY HISTORY

Thomas B. Beale claimed to have been a sailor in early life, and was one of the defenders of Baltimore, and saw the engagement immortalized by the "Star Spangled Banner." He came to Pocahontas County after the War of 1812.

Thomas married to 31 July 1823 Rebecca Gillespie. No other information as to Rebecca Gillespie's parents. James Gillespie did sign her marriage bond but I do not know if this was a brother or father.

Rebecca probably was born 1795-1798, died 1861-1870.

In the 1850 census her age was listed as 52.

Thomas probably was born 1776, died after 1850.

In the 1850 census his age was listed as 74.

Thomas and Rebecca would be our _____ great grandparents. No information as to where they lived. In Nancy Beale Moore's death record, it mentions that she was born at Linwood, WV.

Thomas and Rebecca's children:

- *1. Nancy Beale - married 10 Nov. 1845 to Samuel Moore. They would be our _____ great grandparents. They lived on the summit of Marlin's Mountain. Nancy and Samuel are buried in the McLaughlin Cem. on Hamilton Hill, across from Marvin Perry's home. Their daughter, Margaret married Wesley Barlow. See Moore and Barlow family history.
2. Mary Jane Beale - born 1829, married 21 Nov. 1852 to John Shannon. They never showed up in the 1860 census.
3. Susan or Sarah Beale - married 23 Nov. 1846 to Joseph H. Lange. They both died between 1862-1870.
4. Rebecca Rachel Beale - born 1837, married 22 March 1866 to James A. Fosset. In 1870 Rebecca was living alone
5. Thomas H. Beale - born 1835, didn't show up in 1860 census
6. Samuel W. Beale - born 1839, didn't show up in 1860 census
7. George C. Beale - born 1827, married Frances VanReenen, born in Holland.

BARNETT FAMILY HISTORY

Zechariah Barnett was born in 1799 in Lewis County, West Virginia. He settled in Stony Bottom. He married in 18 Oct. 1825 to Eleanor "Ellen" Brown, daughter of Josiah Brown and Jane Waddell. Zechariah and Ellen were our _____ great grandparents.

Zechariah Barnett's grave may be located in the Stony Bottom beside his grandson's grave, John Barnett, MD. There is a stone over 24 inches high, in the shape of a triangle with the point up, with ZB carved on it. No location of Ellen's grave was found. Their names were listed in the 1880 census. They left no wills.

They had seven sons and three daughters:

1. John Wesley Barnett - died in youth
2. John Andrew Barnett - died in youth
3. Josiah B. Barnett - born 25 May 1826, married 13 Dec. 1855 to Cynthia J. Sutton, born 1837 in Augusta County, VA. Daughter of Jacob G. Sutton and Diane Sheets
4. James B. Barnett - born 15 Oct. 1832, died single at age 48 in 1880. Confederate soldier
5. Thomas Barnett - born 7 March 1830, died married Dianah Duncan, born 14 Feb. 1839, died 30 Nov. 1919, both buried Stony Bottom Cem.
6. Stephen H. Barnett - born 5 Dec. 1835, died 12 Jan. 1915, Confederate Soldier
married Sabina Martha Friel, born 27 May 1835, died 19 June 1896, both buried Stony Bottom Cem.
daughter of Daniel and Ann Friel
 1. Unnamed male - born and died 16 Jul 1859
 2. John M. H. Barnett - born 1865
 3. Rhonda R. E. Barnett - born 1868
 4. Annie L. Barnett - born 1871
 5. Catherine S. Barnett - born 1874
7. Newton Barnett - born 22 April 1846, died 2 May 1912, married Hannah Jane _____, born 8 May 1858, died 27 Nov. 1905, both buried Stony Bottom Cem.
8. Sarah Jane Barnett - born 4 Dec. 1827, died 11 May 1888 or 89. Married 13 Aug. 1857 to George McGlaughlin, born 9 June 1833, died 9 June _____, of Driftwood, WV. Both buried Stony Bottom Cem.

9. Martha Ann Barnett - born 1841, in 1880 single at age 39,
died 29 Dec. 1896. Buried Stony Bottom Cem.
1. Mary E. Barnett - born 5. Nov 1869
10. Hannah Barnett - born about 1840, died
married 4 Feb. 1864 to William Taylor Townsend, born 16 Nov.
1831, died . He was the son of James
Townsend, Sr. and Rosanna McAvoy. See Townsend and McAvoy
family history, PAGE

William Townsend married twice:

#1 - Mary M. Beverage

#2 - Hannah Barnett

children of Hannah and William:

1. Perry M. Townsend - born about 1864, died
married 28 Dec. 1892 to Rachel Hill
 1. Judy Hunter Townsend - born 8 June 1898 at Lobelia
 2. Pearl Townsend - born
2. James A. E. Townsend -
3. Thomas Townsend - born 28 Oct. 1869
4. Jacob S. G. Townsend - born 31 Aug. 1878,
died 23 Mar. 1931, married twice:
 - #1 - 4 June 1902 to Maggie A. Jack
 - #2 - 18 June 1905 to Rosa L. Jack(Jacob first owned the property that George Preston Moore
owned)
5. Sallie E. Frances Townsend - born 8 May 1865,
died 9 July 1917, married 6 Jan. 1897 to John Andrew
William McLaughlin, son of James N. McLaughlin and
Madora Sabina Gilmer.
Sallie is buried at Stony Bottom Cem. John A.W. is
buried at Sitlington.
For Sallie and John's children see McLaughlin family
history PAGE

BROWN FAMILY HISTORY

The Brown relationship trace their ancestry to Joseph Brown, whose wife was Hannah M'Afferty, which are our _____ great grandparents. They lived a few years in Bath County, Virginia on the Bull Pasture, then removed and settled on land which was owned for years by the Mann family in the 1900's, near Edray. In the 1900's you could see some fruit trees and a fine spring that indicated the spot where they lived, about three-fourths of a mile east of the Mann residence. Mr. Brown died a few years after settling here, but was survived by his widow for many years. She became blind, and remained so for twenty years. A few years before her decease, Mrs. Brown recovered her sight as quickly as she had lost it, and could count chickens and geese at forty yards away.

Joseph and Hannah Brown were the parents of five daughters and three sons:

1. Rachel Brown - married William Brock
2. Polly Brown - never married, lived at the old home
3. Hannah Brown - never married, lived at the old home
4. Elizabeth Brown - married a Mr. McGuire, and lived in Nicholas County
5. Anna Brown - became the wife of Jeremiah Friel. Their first home was on the Carrich Ridge, then afterwards they lived on the Greenbrier River.
 1. Joseph Friel - married 1 Nov. 1823 to Jane McCollam
 2. Daniel Friel - married 1 Sept. 1824 to Anna Casebolt
 3. Joseph Friel - married 1 April 1834 to Mary Sharp
 4. John Friel - married 25 Jan. 1836 to Jane (Jennie) Brown
 5. Catherine Friel - married James Sharp
 6. Hannah Friel - married 30 Sept. 1830 to Jefferson Casebolt
 7. Ellen Friel - married 27 Feb. to John Dilley
 8. Mary Jane Friel - married 29 Feb. 1844 to William Dilley
 9. Jennie Friel - married a Mr. Tharp and went West
6. John Brown - was a soldier in the War of 1812, and never returned.
7. Joseph Brown - went to Nicholas County, West Virginia. His son Wesley Brown was a Confederate soldier, and while marching through Edray, he introduced himself to his relations.

8. Josiah Brown - the eldest son of Joseph and Hannah Brown, was born 22 June 1777, his will is on record at the Pocahontas County Court House. Married 12 Sept. 1801 to Jane "Jennie" Waddell, minister John Pinnel, witnesses John and James daughter of Alexander Waddell and Eleanor Rausch. See Waddell and Rausch family history.

Josiah and Jennie are our _____ great grandparents.

They settled on the western section of the Brown homestead.

They are buried at the William Sharp Cem. near intersection of Fairview and Back Mountain road.

Josiah received land grants:

133 acres on the Waters of Elk River in 1827

132 acres at Indian Draft in 1828

In the War of 1812 Josiah Brown was drafted for service at Norfolk, Virginia. John Brown a younger brother, being unmarried, volunteered in his brother's place and was accepted, and was ordered to report for service at Warm Springs, Virginia. John seems to have been a very religious youth. On the evening before his departure for the seat of the war, he came over to his brother Josiah's to bid them all farewell and have one more season of prayer and supplication. Then as he went away over the fields he was heard singing, "When I can read my title clear." This was the last he was ever seen or heard of by his brother Josiah's family, as he never came back from the war.

The history of Josiah Brown was one of the humble toil and self-sacrifice for the good of his family. In the course of his life he endured great personal suffering and afflictions. He was bitten twice by rattlesnakes when in the ranges looking for his stock. Once he was with his neighbor, William Sharp, who cared for him and helped him home. The second time he was alone, and it is believed he saved his life by putting his lips to the punctures and sucking out the poison. Finally, a strange sore appeared in the corner of one of his eyes and spread over much of his face. May believed this was the result of the snake bites. It caused him excruciating sufferings, that were greatly intensified by the efforts of sympathizing, well meaning friends to cure him. Sad and pathetic memories of his brother, John Brown, seemed to ever haunt his mind, and the tears seemed to be ever ready to flow at the mention of his name.

Josiah and Hannah were the parents of seven daughters:

1. Hannah Brown - married 6 Dec. 1832 to Jacob Arbaugh, who was from near Mill Point, they first settled on Sugartree Run, a part of the Brown homestead. Shortly after the War of 1812, Jacob Arbaugh and his family moved to Jackson County, Missouri, which he jokingly referred to as his twentieth change of homes since his marriage.
 1. Eliza Jane Arbaugh -
 2. Susanna Simms Arbaugh -
 3. Laurretta Frances Arbaugh -
 4. Nancy Caroline Arbaugh -
 5. John Allen Arbaugh - Confederate soldier, died 1861, at the Lockridge Spring, near Driscoll, VA, could this now be Minnehaha Springs, WV.
 6. George Arbaugh - Confederate soldier
 7. James Marion Arbaugh - Confederate soldier
 8. William Hanson Arbaugh -
 9. Joseph Newton Arbaugh -

2. Jane "Jennie" Brown - born 9 Oct. 1805, married 28 Jan. 1836 to John Friel, son of Jeremiah Friel, and settled on a section of the Friel homestead on the Greenbrier River.
 1. Mary Jane Friel - married 5 July 1863 to James Gibson
 2. Margaret Frances Friel - married 10 Jan. 1866 to Sheldon Hannah
 3. James Twyman Friel - Confederate soldier, prisoner for three years, married 25 Dec. 1866 to Susannah Sharp
 4. William Thomas Friel - married 28 Feb. 1867 to Sarah Jane Brown. Confederate soldier, 18th Va. Cal.
 5. John Friel - Confederate soldier, died in the army on Alleghany Mountain
 6. Josiah Franklin Friel - married 3 Aug. 1848 to Mahala Sharp. Confederate soldier and died at Port Republic

3. Ann Brown - born 9 Dec. 1806, was married 27 Dec. to James Courthey, they first settled on a part of the homestead.
 1. Andrew Jackson Courtney -
 2. Thomas Courtney - born about 1843, married 28 Nov. 1865 to Margaret C. Kelly, born about 1843.
 3. George M. Washington Courtney - born about 1848, Confederate soldier. Married 13 Oct. 187_ to Elizabeth E.F. Kellison, born 1852.
 4. Hanson Courtney - died about age years
 5. Jane Courtney - born about 1841, married 29 Dec. 1864 to Adam Geiger, born about 1848
 6. Hannah Courtney - born about 1850, married 23 Feb. 1871 to Godfrey geiger, born 1848
 7. Julia Courtney - married James Rhea

4. Martha Brown - born 14 Feb. 1808, married 14 Jan. 1836 to William Vaugh, son of Samuel Vaugh. She died in Missouri.
1. Davis Vaugh -
 2. Zane Vaugh -
 3. Robert Vaugh -
 4. Enos Vaugh -
 5. Ozias Vaugh -
 6. William Clark Vaugh -
 7. Jane Miriam Vaugh -
 8. Almira Vaugh -
 9. Mary Ann Vaugh -
 10. -
5. Miriam Brown - born 6 Aug. 1810, married twice:
- #1 - 14 May 1829 to James Tywman, a native of Augusta County, Virginia. Mr. Tywman was a school teacher. He had business in Huntersville the 17 Jan. 1834, and on his return was drowned in Thorny Creek. His body was recovered by Aaron Moore.
1. Mary Frances Tywman - married Otho W. Ruckman
- #2 - 12 June 1838 to Thomas Nicholas, from Indian Draft, near Edray. He was a skillful mechanic.
6. Mary Brown - born 13 April 1812, married 14 Mar. 1833 to Jacob Vaugh and lived in Buchannon, West Virginia. They had fifteen children, but only five lived to be grown:
1. Brown Vaugh -
 2. Enoch Vaugh -
 3. Homer Vaugh -
 4. John William Vaugh -
 5. Leah Vaugh - was the third wife of Dr. Pleasant Smith, of Edray.
7. Eleanor "Ellen" Brown - born 6 Aug. 1802, died buried
- married 18 Oct. 1825 to Zechariah Barnett, from Lewis County, West Virginia. See Barnett family history for more information.
1. John Wesley Barnett -
 2. John Andrew Barnett -
 3. Josiah B. Barnett -
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BROWN FAMILY HISTORY

The Brown relationship trace their ancestry to Joseph Brown, whose wife was Hannah M'Afferty, which are our _____ great grandparents. They lived a few years in Bath County, Virginia on the Bull Pasture, then removed and settled on land which was owned for years by the Mann family in the 1900's, near Edray. In the 1900's you could see some fruit trees and a fine spring that indicated the spot where they lived, about three-fourths of a mile east of the Mann residence. Mr. Brown died a few years after settling here, but was survived by his widow for many years. She became blind, and remained so for twenty years. A few years before her decease, Mrs. Brown recovered her sight as quickly as she had lost it, and could count chickens and geese at forty yards away.

Joseph and Hannah Brown were the parents of five daughters and three sons:

1. Rachel Brown - married William Brock
2. Polly Brown - never married, lived at the old home
3. Hannah Brown - never married, lived at the old home
4. Elizabeth Brown - married a Mr. McGuire, and lived in Nicholas County
5. Anna Brown - became the wife of Jeremiah Friel. Their first home was on the Carrich Ridge, then afterwards they lived on the Greenbrier River.
6. John Brown - was a soldier in the War of 1812, and never returned.
7. Joseph Brown - went to Nicholas County, West Virginia. His son Wesley Brown was a Confederate soldier, and while marching through Edray, he introduced himself to his relations.
8. Josiah Brown - the eldest son of Joseph and Hannah Brown, was born 22 June 1777, his will is on record at the Pocahontas County Court House. Married 12 Sept. 1801 to Jane "Jennie" Waddell, minister John Pinnel, witnesses John and James daughter of Alexander Waddell and Eleanor Rausch. See Waddell and Rausch family history.
Josiah and Jennie are our _____ great grandparents. They settled on the western section of the Brown homestead. They are buried at the William Sharp Cem. near intersection of Fairview and Back Mountain road.

Josiah received land grants:

133 acres on the Waters of Elk River in 1827

132 acres at Indian Draft in 1828

In the War of 1812 Josiah Brown was drafted for service at Norfolk, Virginia. John Brown a younger brother, being unmarried, volunteered in his brother's place and was accepted, and was ordered to report for service at Warm Springs, Virginia. John seems to have been a very religious youth. On the evening before his departure for the seat of the war, he came over to his brother Josiah's to bid them all farewell and have one more season of prayer and supplication. Then as he went away over the fields he was heard singing, "When I can read my title clear." This was the last he was ever seen or heard of by his brother Josiah's family, as he never came back from the war.

The history of Josiah Brown was one of the humble toil and self-sacrifice for the good of his family. In the course of his life he endured great personal suffering and afflictions. He was bitten twice by rattlesnakes when in the ranges looking for his stock. Once he was with his neighbor, William Sharp, who cared for him and helped him home. The second time he was alone, and it is believed he saved his life by putting his lips to the punctures and sucking out the poison. Finally, a strange sore appeared in the corner of one of his eyes and spread over much of his face. May believed this was the result of the snake bites. It caused him excruciating sufferings, that were greatly intensified by the efforts of sympathizing, well meaning friends to cure him. Sad and pathetic memories of his brother, John Brown, seemed to ever haunting his mind, and the tears seemed to be ever ready to flow at the mention of his name.

Josiah and Hannah were the parents of seven daughters:

1. Hannah Brown - married 6 Dec. 1832 to Jacob Arbaugh, who was from near Mill Point, they first settled on Sugartree Run, a part of the Brown homestead. Shortly after the War of 1812, Jacob Arbaugh and his family moved to Jackson County, Missouri, which he jokingly referred to as his twentieth change of homes since his marriage.
2. Jane "Jennie" Brown - born 9 Oct. 1805, married 28 Jan. 1836 to John Friel, son of Jeremiah Friel, and settled on a section of the Friel homestead on the Greenbrier River.
3. Ann Brown - born 9 Dec. 1806, was married 27 Dec. to James Courthey, they first settled on a part of the homestead.
4. Martha Brown - born 14 Feb. 1808, married 14 Jan. 1836 to William Vaugh, son of Samuel Vaugh. She died in Missouri.

5. Miriam Brown - born 6 Aug. 1810, married twice:
#1 -14 May 1829 to James Tywman, a native of Augusta County, Virginia. Mr. Twyman was a school teacher. He had business in Huntersville the 17 Jan. 1834, and on his return was drowned in Thorny Creek. His body was recovered by Aaron Moore.
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Mr. Ida May George
 Mrs. Ida May George, wife of Amos George, of Watoga, died at Marlinton on Thursday, January 9, 1930. Her age was thirty-one years, four months and 29 days. The cause of her death was appendicitis. On Friday her body was buried in the family burying ground on the Wesley farm place, near Woodrow.
 Mrs. George is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Burgess, of Woodrow; her husband and their three children, one a babe of three months.

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a babe of 3 months

Thilbert Houdyschell

Thilbert Houdyschell, aged 23 years, was instantly killed by a falling tree in the Gauley lumber woods, on Tuesday, February 24, 1932. On Friday afternoon his body was buried in the Mt. Zion cemetery, near Frost; the funeral service being conducted from the Mt. Zion Church by Rev. R. H. Skaggs, of the Edray Methodist Church.

Mr. Houdyschell is survived by his wife, who was Miss Bertha Burgess, and their four small children: Ethel Esther, Grace, Dennis and Clark. He is also survived by three sisters: Mrs. Grace Edwards, Mrs. Pearl Foxgo, and Mrs. Lela Hampton. Two half-sisters: Misses Kossie and Lela May Carr, and one brother, Dives Houdyschell.

Dennis Burgess, aged 35 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Burgess of Noeline, died at the Bonecove Hospital on Saturday, July 1, 1932. Burial at Woodrow on Monday, July 4, with the service being conducted by his pastor, Rev. H. O. Skaggs. Mr. Burgess is survived by his parents and a number of brothers and sisters. He was unmarried. For years he had been a trusted employee of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Co.

Mrs. Nancy Jane Kelley Sharp

Mrs. Nancy Jane Kelley Sharp, aged 80 years, wife of William Ellet Sharp, died at her home near Woodrow, on Wednesday, June 25, 1941. On Friday her body was buried in the Cochran cemetery on Stony Creek, the service being conducted by her pastor, Rev. R. H. Skaggs. Mrs. Sharp is survived by her husband and their seven children.

Sharp-Burgess

Summers Hedrick Sharp and Miss Anna Margaret Burgess, of Woodrow, were united in marriage, on Saturday, August 15, 1942. Rev. Fred Oxendale officiated. The ceremony took place at the Methodist parsonage at Marlinton.

Highland Park, Illinois.
July 21, 1919.

Mrs. Hannah Dolan.

Buckeye, W. Va.

Dear Mrs. Dolan—As pastor of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church of Highland Park and visiting minister at the Federal Hospital No. 28 at Fort Sheridan it has been my privilege to visit your son, Elbert Messer, and present the claims of Christ to him. I called on him, the first time July 11th. In the course of the conversation it developed that he was not a Christian. I presented a card like the one inclosed to him and asked whether he was willing to sign it. He took my pen and signed the card with his own hand. I assured him that we would remember him in our prayers and requested him to pray for himself. He assured me that he would do so.

At this time I had no idea that he was seriously sick. In fact he appeared to be feeling quite well. It was several days before I again visited him and when I did so I found that he had been transferred to ward 11 from ward 55. I immediately called at ward 11 and found that he had been transferred to ward 63. Going to ward 63 I found that he was in a serious condition. In fact when I called on him I found that he was in a semi-conscious condition. I could not talk to him intelligently and called again the following morning. He seemed quite bright at times and I had a very good talk with him. I again called on him in the evening and found him in practically the same condition. Yesterday, Sunday, I had the most satisfactory talk with him. He was satisfied with the presence of his Savior and was very glad to have me call. I had some difficulty to leave him. He showed plainly that he was failing rapidly but I quoted freely from St. John 14th, chapter and other scriptures. These gave him great comfort and strength. Today he was unconscious. And I doubt very much whether he will live through the night.

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Wishing you the strength and comfort of God in this hour of trial and again assuring you that it is well with your son who offered his all for the good of humanity I am

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James Allen Burgess was born April 25, 1874, at Beaver Dam, at the head of Williams River, and departed this life on Wednesday, November 13th, 1957, at the Pocahontas Memorial Hospital, in Marlinton.

Funeral services were held from his home on Saturday, November 16th, at 2:00 P. M., conducted by the Rev. Ezra Bennett.

He was the son of the late David and Mary Elizabeth Kellison Burgess, who preceded him in death several years ago.

Mr. Burgess is survived by his wife, Allie Florence Barlow Burgess, to whom he was married on September 16th, 1897; seven children, Ruth F. Young, John W. Burgess, Kennie F. Burgess, Fred M. Burgess, Mattie E. Auldridge, Clarence A. Barlow, of Marlinton; Mary M. Lambert, of Cresaptown, Maryland; one sister and two brothers, Mrs. Martha Kiner and William D. Burgess, of Marlinton, and Dayton Burgess, of Elkins, also thirty grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by five children, Ida Mae Burgess George and Tom Dennis Burgess and three infants.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on September 16th, 1957. He was a retired woodsman, of Woodrow, and was reared in a Christian home.

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Mrs. Allie F. Burgess, 95, of Route 1, Marlinton, died Thursday, September 19, 1974, in the Sacred Heart Hospital in Richwood.

Mrs. Burgess was a member of the Methodist Church and the widow of James A. Burgess; six children also preceded her in death.

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Funeral services were held at White's Chapel on Sunday afternoon by the Rev. Alfred Gum.

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Newton C. Rogers, aged 78 years, died at his home at Buckeye on Sunday morning, January 15, 1932. For the past several years he has been in failing health. On Monday afternoon his body was buried in the McNellie graveyard, the service being conducted from the home by his pastor, Rev. T. H. Taylor assisted by Rev. G. G. Oliver.

Mr. Rogers was the son of the late James L. and Elizabeth Burgess Rogers. He married Miss Fredericks Kellison. She and the following children survive: Mrs. Ed Ray, of Millpoint; L. B. Rogers, of Alderson; Mrs. D. W. Williams, of Marlinton; Morgan M. and William H. Rodgers; about ten years ago another son, John, died just as he was verging on old age.

Squire Rogers was a good, upright man, who always took a positive stand for the right as he saw it. He had been a professing Christian for over forty years. He took a leading part in the affairs of his community. He held positions of honor and public trust at the hands of his people, serving as justice of the peace and deputy assessor of real estate.

DIED

Miss Hattie Shelton, aged about 61 years, was found dead in bed at her home on Swago Creek near Buckeye on Thursday morning, March 21, 1932. On Tuesday she had been in Marlinton for medicine for an attack of influenza. It is presumed that pneumonia caused her death. She lived by herself. On Friday her body was buried in the family plot at the Rockman graveyard, near Millpoint. The service was conducted by Rev. O. N. Miles. Miss Shelton was a daughter of the late Thomas Shelton. Her mother's maiden name was Hannah Burgess. Her brother, Arch Shelton, died a few years ago. She leaves no near kin.

DIED

Mrs. Hannah K. Shelton died at her home at Buckeye, December 23, 1921, aged 87 years. This aged woman was the widow of the late Thomas Shelton, and the last member of the family of Arch Burgess and his wife, Elizabeth McNear Burgess, her only brother, Paul Burgess dying twelve years ago. She is survived by her two children, Miss Hattie Shelton and Arch Shelton. For many years Mrs. Burgess had been a professing Christian, a member of the M. E. Church. Burial at the Rockman graveyard, near Millpoint, the services being conducted by Rev. Rogers.

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The Burgess name has been spelled different ways over the past two hundred years - Boggess Boggoss, Burgis, and Burgess. All information used has been taken from Historical Sketches of Pocahontas County by W.T. Price, 1901, Pocahontas County Clerk's office records: marriage, land, births, deaths. Same for Bath County.

For the past two hundred years the Burgess name has been a familiar one in Pocahontas County. The first Burgess, John Burgess, I, (our _____ great grandfather), was a native of Ireland. He was a weaver by occupation and before the year 1755 settled near Albany, New York, where he diligently plied his vocation. It is more than probable that his loom wove the blanket which his son, John Burgess, II, used in the Revolutionary War, and some of the neighbor soldiers were clothed in material prepared by his industrious hands.

The name of John Burgess's wife or her family are not remembered. There were four daughters and two sons:

1. daughter -
2. daughter - married a Kelley in state of New York
3. daughter - married a Kelley in state of New York
4. Elizabeth Burgess - moved to Pocahontas County with her brother, John and his family. She married William Young from Pocahontas County.
5. James (or Wright) Burgess - Became a preacher in the Congregational Church, and settled in Kentucky, among the pioneer ministers of that region.
6. John Burgess, II - our _____ great grandfather. See next page for his family history

John Burgess, II, born at least 1755 near Albany, New York. He claimed to have been a Revolutionary War soldier and served in the artillery, and was one of the first to enlist and the last to be disbanded of the New York Continental Troops. While we have in hand no positive information to this effect, yet there is much reason for believing that John Burgess was at the surrender of General Burgoyne.

John Burgess married a Miss Kelley, of New York, and soon after the Revolutionary War they moved to Harrisonburg, Virginia. Later about 1798 John and his family settled in Pocahontas County. When his daughter Nancy married in 1811 to William Mayse, on her marriage bond, it lists her father as moving to Ohio and her brother John Burgess, III giving permission for her to marry. I have no proof as of yet but I believe that he may have settled in Gallia County, Ohio. Gallia County was set aside and land was given to men who had been in the Revolutionary War.

#1,2,3,4,5 DAUGHTERS NAMES UNKNOWN

- #6. Mary Burgess - married her cousin, 25 Feb. 1812 to James Young. The minister was Christopher Frye. They settled in Augusta County.
- #7. Nancy Burgess - married June 1811 to William Mayse, the minister was Samuel Kennerly. John Burgess and his first wife, Sarah were witnesses. John gave permission for Nancy to marry. Their marriage was recorded in Augusta County. They settled in Mill Point, West Virginia. He was among the first blacksmiths to strike sparks in that vicinity.
- #8. Jane Burgess - married 27 Nov. 1815 to Thomas Armstrong, the minister was Wright Burgess, (Wright the minister) was probably her uncle. Jane and Thomas lived near Churchville, Virginia.
- #9. Hampton Burgess - went to Ohio in early manhood, married a Miss Smith and settled in that state.
- #10. Nathan Burgess - married 30 Aug. 1803 to Martha Kinnison, the minister was John Pinnell, the marriage was recorded in Bath County. She was the daughter of Charles Kinnison, the pioneer. They settled on lands that were later owned by the Payne family in the 1900's. Nathan Burgess was a skillful gunsmith. Late in the 18th and 19th century, many of the hunters were supplied by him with rifles. Some of them were used for military service. Several of the guns were reputed to be some of the most accurate in this county.
- #11. John Burgess, III, our _____ great grandfather. See next page for his family history.

John Burgess, III, was born near Albany, New York in 1778. He came to Harrisonburg, Virginia with his parents and family when he was a mere child. (As of now there is no information as to where his brothers and sisters were born). From Harrisonburg, his family came to the Little Levels area in 1798.

He was a carpenter by occupation. For many years he made most of the coffins that were used in the lower half of Pocahontas County. He did the carpenter work on the dwelling occupied for many years by the late George W. Poage.

In 1803 he received 100 acres in a land grant, on Locust Creek. See Sims Land Grant Book, page 124.

John Burgess, III, married twice.
His second wife was our _____ great grandmother.

First wife - 8 March 1803 to Sarah "Susan" Casebolt, the minister was John Pinnell, the marriage was recorded at Bath County, witnesses were Griffeth Evens and Asehel Casebolt. She may have been the daughter of Barbary and Henry Casebolt. John and Susan lived near Mill Point.

John Burgess, III was drafted into the military service during the War of 1812, but owing to the critical state of his wife Susan's health, he was permitted to put in a substitute, and remain with his wife and family. (The substitute is not known as of now). He thus escaped the suffering privation which caused the death of many of the mountain people during the notable defense of Norfolk vicinity that was planned to shield Richmond from British invasion and depredation. Susan soon died about 1813.

After her death, John Burgess, III moved to the mountain farm west of the head of Swago Creek. In 1981 Pocahontas County History it states "John Burgess owned over 1,339 acres on the head waters of Williams River".

*** Second wife - 27 July 1820 to Hannah McNair, the minister was Josiah Cole, and the marriage was recorded at Augusta County Courthouse. She was the daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth McNair, from the vicinity of Churchville, Virginia. The McNairs were pioneers from Pennsylvania. The name was spelled different ways: McNara, McNeer, McAnare, McNaire. See McNair family history, PAGE

As of now there is no information as to which of John's children belonged to Susan or Hannah, other than what David Burgess told to Mr. McNeel in the late 1800's. I will list the children as David did:

1. John Burgess, IV -
2. James Burgess -
3. Mary Burgess - In the 1850 census there is a Martha A. Burgess, age 26 living in the same household as David M. Burgess and Sarah E. Burgess. Sometimes people called Mary - Marthie or Martha. She may have been born about 1824, making her from the second marriage and not from the first marriage. In 1850, 1860, and 1870 census Mary or Martha is living with her brother David Burgess.
4. H. Archibald Burgess - born 1813, died
Married 25 March 1833 to Elizabeth Ann McNair, born 31 Sept. 1799, died 16 Dec. 1855, age 55 y, 3 m, 17 d, They are both buried at Ruckman Cem. near Mill Point. Elizabeth was a daughter of David and Elizabeth McNair.
 1. Paul D. Burgess - born 22 Feb. 1836, died 23 Nov. 1909, Ruckman Cem. age 73, never married. Person giving information at Court house was Hannah E. Burgess.
 2. Martha A. Burgess - born 1835, died 1859, never married
 3. Hannah E. Burgess - born 1837, died 12 June 1911, heart,

Children of second marriage:

1. David M. Burgess - born 1822, died ??? married Mary Elizabeth Kellison, see page 5 for their family history
2. Hannah Burgess - born 23 Nov. 1824, died 24 Dec. 1921, age 87, widow. married twice:
 #1 - David McNair - no children
 #2 - 4 May 1872 to Thomas Shelton
 children by Thomas Shelton- second marriage:
 1. Martha "Hattie" Shelton - born 1873, died 1932, never married. See her obituary at end of book. Buried Ruckman Cem.
 2. Archibald Shelton - born _____ died _____ Ruckman Cem.
3. Sarah Elizabeth Burgess - born 18 Oct. 1825, died 17 Oct. 1878.
 Married 19 Nov. 1853 to James L. Rogers. Her death is recorded in Pocahontas County. In Sarah's marriage record she is mentioned as Elizabeth. In the 1850 census she was 24 and living with her brother and sister, David and Martha A. Burgess. In 1860 census she was age 33 and married to James L. Rogers.
 They had 10 children:
 1. Mary F. Rogers - born 1869
 2. George V. Rogers - born 1857
 3. David Rogers - born 1856
 4. John Rogers -
 5. Margaret A. "Maggie" Rogers - born 1863
 6. Elizabeth Rogers -
 7. Martha E. Rogers - 1867
 8. Alvin W. Rogers -
 9. Newton C. Rogers - born 1854 (grandfather to Don Rogers of Marlinton).
 10. Ellen Rogers - born 1866

David M. Burgess - born 1822, died .
Married Mary Elizabeth Kellison on 24 Dec. 1868. She was the daughter of Jacob S. Kellison and Sarah A. Morrison. See Kellison and Morrison family history.

Mary was born about 1852, she was 16 when she married.
David was born about 1822, and was 46 when he married.

It is believed that David and Mary are buried at the headwaters of Williams River (on property now owned by Junior Jackson), as of yet I have not located their graves, or know when they died. I was also told by Ivan VanReenan that his father buried both David and Mary in the White's Chapel Cemetery.

David Burgess was appointed by the Pocahontas County Court to serve in the Civil War, Home Guards. David Burgess was a farmer. He and his wife lived at the Beaver Dam on Williams River. David Burgess bought and sold great amounts of land.

The following article was taken from The West Virginia Heritage Encyclopedia, Vol. 3, page 46. Please note that his last name was misspelled in the article. "On the 31 Day of July 1863 David M. Burgis along with four other men were appointed to divide Pocahontas County up into townships. They were divided up from being called District 1,2,3,4 to Lincoln, Meade, Grant, Union but after the Civil War they were changed to Edray, Huntersville, Little Levels, and Green Bank Districts.

Children of David and Mary:

1. John L. Burgess - born about August 1870, died 10 Sept. 1878, age 8 years 8 months. His death is recorded at the Pocahontas Court House.
2. Hannah S. Burgess - born about 1872, died
Married twice:
#1 - 23 April 1892 to Benjamin P. Messer
#2 - 10 April 1895 to George Dolan

Her son before marriage:

1. Allan Burgess - born died buried Ruckman Cem.
near Mill Point. Married
1. Stillborn - born 30 Jan. 1922 - Father, Allen, Mother, Emy Florence Rider (on record at Court house)
2. Hazel Burgess -
3. Nellie Susan Burgess - born 29 Aug. 1926 at Mill Point
married twice:
#1 - Kermit Kelly
#2 -
1. Johnnie Kelly -
4. Ellen Virginia Burgess - born April 1933. Married Bob Kelly

Child by first marriage:

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1. Paul Messer - born , died WWI, see newspaper article at end of this book.

Children by second marriage:

1. Hulet Dolan -
 2. Peggy Dolan -
 3. Bridget Dolan -
3. William Downing Burgess - born 14 Dec. 1883, died 20 June 1961.
Married 27 Aug. 1910 to Jesse McCune born 3 May 1894,
died 23 Jan. 1976. Both buried Cochran Cem.
1. Pat Wesley Burgess - born 8 Jul 1923, died ,
Buried Cochran Cem.
married twice:
#1 -
#2 -
 1. Rocky Burgess -
 2. Vada Burgess -
 3. Ethan Burgess -
 4. George Burgess -
 2. Dollie Burgess - born 8 July 1923
 3. Cory Burgess - born
 4. Floy Burgess - born
 5. Lloyd Burgess - born
 6. Ellen Letha Burgess - born
 1. Mary Jane Burgess - born 15 June 1935
 7. Bertha Burgess - born
 8. Alice Burgess - born
 9. Henry Burgess - born
 10. Leva Lucille Burgess - born 15 Feb. 1926
 11. Asa Burgess - born died buried Mountain View Cem. married
 1. Betty Burgess -
 2. Mabel Burgess -
 3. David Burgess -
 4. Evelyn Burgess - married Steve Hoover
 5. Wayne Burgess -
 6. Charles Burgess -

12. Edward Burgess - born
13. Paul P. Burgess - born 1 Dec. 1932
 1. Steve Burgess -
 - 1.
 - 2.
 2. Randall Burgess -
 - 1.
14. Anna Margaret Burgess - born married Summers Sharp
 1. Leroy Sharp -
 1. Daniel Sharp -
 2. Drema Sharp -
 - 3.
 4. Susan Sharp -
 2. Lulu Mae Sharp -

Married Twice:

#1 - Ivan Burgess

#2 - Crede Dunbrack

 1. Troy Sharp -
 2. James Burgess -
 3. Bryon Burgess -
15. Hannah Burgess - born
4. George L. Burgess - born 1877, died

Married Leva McCune

 1. Alice Burgess -
 2. Amon Burgess -
5. Dayton Burgess - born 1881, died Lived at Elkins, WV.

Married twice:

#1 - 3 Aug. 1904 to Eveline Parsons

#2 - 3 Aug. 1915 to Mary McGlove
6. Martha E. Burgess - born 1879, died

Married 10 Aug. 1895 to E.D. Kiner from Greenbrier Co.

 1. Bessie Kiner -
 2. Mae Kiner - born died married Sharp
 3. Ida Kiner - born died married
 4. Hallie Kiner - born died married
 5. Ward Kiner - born died married
 6. Henry Kiner - born died
7. JAMES ALLEN BURGESS - our _____ great grandfather. See next page for his family history.

James Allen Burgess was born 25 April 1874, at Beaver Dam, head of Williams River, died 13 Nov. 1957. Married 16 Sept. 1897 to Allie Florence Barlow, born 31 Jan. 1879, died 19 Sept. 1974, buried family cem. at Woodrow. Allie was the daughter of Wesley Barlow and Margaret Moore Barlow. See Barlow and Moore family history, PAGES .

Allie's son before marriage:

1. Clarence Barlow - born 2 Aug. 1896, died 1978. Married Bertha Hambrick.
 1. Opal Barlow -
 2. Pearl Barlow -
 3. Austin Barlow -

James and Allie's children:

- 3 infants died
4. Ida Mae Burgess - born 16 Aug. 1898, died 9 June 1930, buried
Married twice:
 - #1 - 11 Dec. 1915 to Jim Landis
 - #2 - 24 Dec. 1924 to Amos George
 1. Dempsey George -
 2. Harman George -
 3. Melvina George -
5. Mattie Burgess - born 19 Dec. 1899 died 18 Mar. 1966, buried Kee Cemetery, near Buckeye. Married 1 Sept. 1922 to John Calvin Auldridge born 17 Jan. 1897, died 1 Feb. 1989 buried Hatchkiss, Colorado.
 1. Florence Auldridge - born 11 May 1926,
Married --- Woods
 1. Barbara Jean Woods - born 16 Feb. 1952,
married Carl Peterman - divorced
 2. John Edward Woods - born 6 April 1956,
 3. Linda Sue Woods - born 12 May 1958
 4. Margaret Ann Woods - born 19 April 1963
 2. Ruth Minnie Auldridge - born 23 Aug. 1927
Married twice:
 - #1 - Don Burke
 - #2 - Elmer Sikes
 1. Shirley June Burke - born 1953
 2. Charles Erwin Burke - born 1955
 3. Mary Ruth Burke - born 1957
 3. Norman Randolph Auldridge - born 25 Jan. 1930,
retired from Air Force and Post Office. Married Patricia
 4. Denver Auldridge - born 17 Jan. 1932, never married,
lives in Colorado

5. Flora Elizabeth Auldridge - born 12 July 1934.
Married K. Lovelace
1. Sara Elizabeth Lovelace
6. Cora Cornealia Auldridge - born 22 Feb. 1937,
Married Robert Kelton.
1. Robert Kelton -
2. Don Kelton -
3. Rickey Kelton -
4. Ronnie Kelton -
5. Cindy Kelton -
6. Joe Kelton -
7. Dorothy Jean Auldridge - born 27 July 1940, served in Army
Married Jack Smith,
1. Joshua Smith -
2. Jack Smith -

6. Fred Mathis Burgess - born 26 Sept. 1902, died 2 Mar. 1990, of cancer.
His birth record at the Court House says that he was born Laurel Creek
and his middle name spelled Mathews.
Married 17 Feb. 1927 to Woodsie Mae Moore, daughter of George Preston
Moore and Maggie Alice Florence Tacy Moore. Both are buried at
Cochran Cem.

- Blind*
1. Ivan Clark Burgess - born 17 Nov. 1929 (his name is on record at
court house as VAN Burgess)
married twice:
#1 -
#2 - Lula Mae Sharp
1. James Clark Burgess -
1. James Clark Burgess, II -
2. Jeffrey Burgess -
2. Bryon Burgess -
 2. Olive Lucille Burgess - born 18 Sept. 1930, died 2 Aug. 1966 of
cancer. Married 15 May 1949 to Dervie P. Hoover,
born 20 Aug. 1924, died 7 June 1990, of cancer, both buried
Mountain View Cem.
1. Dewey Thomas Hoover - born 14 April 1950.
Married 27 Dec. 1975 to Diane Rose Irvine,
1. Daniel Todd Hoover - born Jan. 1990, adopted
 2. Stephens Jewell Hoover - born 17 Oct. 1951.
Married twice:
#1 - Evelyn Burgess - daughter of Asa Burgess
#2 - Patricia Wykle -
1. Angela Shue Hoover - born 1971, adopted
2. Patricia Mae Shue Hoover - born Jan. 1973, adopted
3. Stephens Jewell Hoover, II - born 1 Apr. 1976
4. Stephanie Ann Hoover - born 18 Feb. 1984

3. Pamela Frances Hoover - born 1 Jan. 1955, Married three times:
 - #1 - Larry Miller, #2 - Lowell Loudermilk,
 - #3 - David Karl Johnson - his father was from Bath, Maine,
 1. Joshua Mason Hoover - born 20 Feb. 1981
 2. Sarah Marie Johnson - born 3 May 1990
4. Marshall Allen Hoover - born 31 Aug. 1956, died 23 Nov. 1984, buried Ntn. View Cem. Married 1978 Betty Russell
 1. Timothy Scott Hoover - born 5 Feb. 1979
 2. Cynthia Cochran - married Jeff Miller
 1. Jared Winters Miller - born July 2, 1998
5. Theodore Kermit Hoover - born 2 Mar. 1958. Married in 1979 to Kimberly Bennett
 1. Tanya Lynn Hoover - born April 1980, died 4 Dec. 1980, crib death

- Blind* 3. Velma Mae Burgess - born 30 May 1932. Married Henry Edward Stuck
4. Thelma Marie Burgess - born 27 April 1934, died 2 March 1986 of cancer, buried Staunton Cem.
married twice:
 - #1 - Roy Sharp
 - #2 - Howard Mason Thompson, buried Staunton Cem. died of self-inflicted gunshot, buried Staunton, VA
 1. Barbara Ann Sharp - born 1 March 1955,
 2. Kendall Mason Thompson - born 15 Aug. 1965, died 15 Oct. 1985 of self-inflicted gunshot, buried Staunton, VA.
 3. Beth Allison Thompson - born 5 Feb. 1968

7. Tom Dennis Burgess - born 11 July 1904, died 2 July 1939, at hospital at Ronceverte, WV

8. Kenney Burgess - born 4 Mar. 1906, died 28 Sept. 1979. Buried Hillsboro. Married 26 Dec. 1928 to Mattie Boblett, born 16 Oct. 1906, died Aug. 1979. Buried at Hillsboro
1. Greta Blume Burgess - born 14 Oct. 1929, died 7 Nov. 1929, Buried Ruckman Cem.
 2. Edward Burgess - born 22 Dec. 1931.
Married 4 Feb. 1953 to Goldie Hammons
 1. Frank Burgess - born married Patti _____
 1. Frank Burgess, 11 -
 2. Darlene Burgess -
 2. Kenny Burgess - born
 3. Keith Burgess - born
 3. Carol Burgess - born 20 June 1933.
Married 1 Mar. 1959 to Sidney Hannah
 1. Darlene Hannah - born 7 June 1959
 2. Debra Hannah - born 6 May 1960
 3. Richard Hannah - born 27 June 1965
 4. Samuel Hannah - born 11 Nov. 1962

- Donna McGinnis*
3. Dortha McGinnis - born 22 Jan. 1940. Married Harold Hecklinger of Toledo, Ohio
 1. Stephen Hecklinger -
 2. Scott Hecklinger -
 3. Gail Hecklinger -
 4. Teresa Hecklinger -
 4. Bonnie Young - born 17 June 1947. Married Junior Lemon from Covington, VA
 1. Dawn Lemon -
 5. Osa Gay Young - born 9 Aug. 1951. Married Henry Wilfong
 1. Garland Wilfong -
 2. Teresa Wilfong -
 3. Karen Wilfong -
 6. Omar Young - born 12 Sept. 1953. Married twice, one son died in infancy.
 1. Mathew Young
 7. Oliver Young - born
married twice:
 - #1 - Linda McCall
 - #2 - Donna Beverage
 1. Pamela Young -
 2. Elizabeth Young -
 3. Priscilla Young -

BURNS FAMILY HISTORY

John Burns, Sr. settled in 1791 in Red Holes, (later changed to Burnesville) Bath County, Virginia. John died 1805, married Mary Shibe, (her name mentioned as being Mary Shibe in Augusta County Pioneers but no proof.) Both are buried in Burns Cemetery located across from homestead. The Burns family attended Methodist Church in Burnesville. This information was copied from Bath Co. History Book.

1. John Burns, Jr. -
2. Mary Burns-
3. Margaret Burns -
4. Eve Burns -
5. Sarah Burns - married Robert McAvoy, our _____ great grandparents.
See McAvoy family history for their children.
6. Peter Burns - born 1796, married 1817 to Elizabeth E. Monroe
 1. Elizabeth Burns - married Jonathan Potts
 2. Margaret M. Burns - moved to Upshur Co.
 3. Mary C. Burns - married J. Morgan Morton
 4. Addison H. Burns - married Emmeline Burns
 5. Hezekiah M. Burns - married Louisa Bradshaw
 6. Rebecca Burns - married Thomas Morton
 7. Dorothy L. Burns -
 8. Joseph W. Burns - born 1832, married Martha A. Carpenter
 9. Nancy S. D. Burns - born 1834, married William Lockridge
 10. Martha E. Burns - married America Burns
 11. Christina C. Burns - married John Leach, David Daggy

CALLISON FAMILY HISTORY

James Callison, Sr. was born probably in Northern Ireland, 1739, he died 1808, his will date 15 Nov. 1807, proved February Court 1808, Grainger Co. Tennessee. He was a member of Society of Friends (Quakers). He did not have to serve in the Revolutionary War because of his religion. He first lived on Trump Run, Greenbrier County, (later called Pocahontas County). He later moved to Grainger Co. Tennessee with his wife. The land that James Callison, Sr. owned, now in the hands of Joel Callison which will be passed on to his sons.

James Callison, Sr. was first married to Mary Callison (no relation) daughter of James and Isabelle Callison of Augusta Co. Virginia. They were our _____ great grandparents.

Second wife : 17 July 1800 to Elizabeth Young.

James' father was Anthony Callison of Ireland, born about 1709, died about 1779 Ireland.

James' mother was Abigail Vethereld born about 1710, died about 1779 Ireland.

In "Historical Sketches" by Price and "History of Pocahontas County 1981" Elizabeth Jane Callison is not mentioned. Just because she is not mentioned does not mean that she was not a member. "Historical Sketches" was first written in 1901 and I am sure that who ever gave information on the family history could have forgotten about Elizabeth. See also "History of Pocahontas County, 1981" page 247-249.

1. Anthony Callison - died 1844, Married 1 July 1794 to Abigail McClung. 10 children
2. Isaac Callison - died 1835, Married 25 Aug. 1792 to Mary Cavendish. 7 children
3. James Callison, Jr. - died 1844, Married 14 March 1797 to Susannah Edmiston. 8 children (Joel Callison's great grandfather).
4. Jesse Callison - Married Mary Young
5. Elisha Callison - born 1792, died 1852. Married 29 Nov. 1821 to Margaret Bright.
6. Abigail Callison - Married Jonathan Turner
7. Ann Callison - Married John Matthews
- **8. ELIZABETH CALLISON - Married 4 March 1796 JAMES MORRISON, Sr. See Morrison family history for their children, PAGES Their marriage is recorded in Greenbrier County.

CASEBOLT FAMILY HISTORY

Barbara or Barbary Barlow, wife of the late Alexander Barlow married Henry Casebolt. Below are their children as found in the Pocahontas County Court House. In the Annals of Bath County, Virginia, by Oren F. Morton, page 121, we find Henry Casebolt was head of family in 1791, living in Second District of Bath County. Barbara and Alexander Barlow had only one son, John Barlow. See Barlow family history for his family. Barbara married Henry Casebolt sometime between 1781 and 1790. They lived in a mountain home overlooking Buckeye. Henry and Barbara's children:

1. Anna Casebolt - married 1 Sept. 1824 to Daniel Friel
 1. Andrew Harvey Friel -
 2. Barbara Friel -
 3. Sabina Martha Friel -
 4. Montgomery Allen Friel -
2. Henry Casebolt, Jr. married 9 Mar. 1843 to Susan Kellison
 1. Caroline Casebolt - married 23 Jan. 1868 to William Dean
 1. George Dean - born 1869
 2. Samuel C. Dean - born 1873
 3. Joseph B. Dean - born 1874
 4. Albert M. Dean - born 1876
 5. Nancy V. Dean - born 1879
 2. George Casebolt -
 3. Renick Casebolt - married 16 July 1868 to Rachel Morrison
 1. Mary Casebolt - born 1870
 2. Henry T. Casebolt - born 1873
 3. Sarah F. Casebolt - born 1875
 4. Henrietta Casebolt - born 1879
 4. Virginia E. Casebolt - married 21 Dec. 1865 to Joseph A. Gardner
3. Jefferson Casebolt - died 19 Aug. 1882, age 75 yrs.
married twice:
 - #1 - 30 Sept. 1830 to Hannah Friel
 - #2 - 27 Nov. 1856 to Nancy J. Pritt
 1. Martha Casebolt - married 17 April 1856 to John A. Alderman
 2. Jennie Casebolt - married a Mr. Tharp and went west
 3. Barbary Ann Casebolt - married 15 April 1862 to John Donahue
4. Jane Casebolt - married 15 Feb. 1831 to Thomas Nicholas
5. Nancy Casebolt - married Amos Kinnison
 1. David Kinnison - married and settled near Charleston
 2. Martha Kinnison -
 3. John Barlow Kinnison - born 1820 married Deida Morrison
 1. J. Wesley Kinnison - born 1850
 2. George A. Kinnison - born 1860
 3. T. Franklin Kinnison - born 1848
6. Thomas Casebolt - married
 1. Harvey Casebolt - married 4 Mar. 1842 to Jane McCarty
 2. Fanny R. Casebolt - married 30 Sept. to Arthur McClure

7. William Casebolt - married Ellen
1. Joseph Casebolt - married 20 Oct. 1835 to Sarah Tharp
 2. Martha Casebolt - married 4 April 1839 to
 3. Sarah Casebolt - married three times:
 - #1 - 22 July 1828 to William Nicholas
 - #2 - 24 Jan. 1839 to Fielding Boggs
 - #3 - 6 June 1865 to Daniel Kellison

Elizabeth Casebolt - died 10 or 16 April 1882, age 92, single

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4. Jane Casebolt - Married 15 Feb. 1831 to Thomas Nicholas
5. Nancy Casebolt - Married Amos Kinnison
6. Thomas Casebolt - Married _____
7. William Casebolt - Married Ellen _____

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CASELL FAMILY HISTORY

Jacob Cassell, Sr. ancestor of the numerous relationship of that name was a native of Pendleton County. He was born Feb. 1786, died 1 Jan. 1875. He married 18 Feb. 1805 in Bath County to Nancy McGlaughlin. The witnesses were John McGlaughlin (her brother) and James Wiley.

After living several years in Bath County, he bought land on Greenbrier River, three miles west of Green Bank, now known as the Cassell fording. Here he settled and became a well known citizen of the county.

Jacob Cassell, Sr. the founder of the Cassell family in upper Pocahontas County, was a person of remarkable muscular strength and agility. He was passionately industrious, and even in extreme old age never satisfied without something useful to do. He and his family have done very much in developing that part of the county where he resided. In his attire he was very neat and particular, and a perfect gentleman. His personal influence and example were for fair dealing, strict integrity, and pure morals. He lived to be ninety-two years of age.

Mrs. Cassell died several years before her husband. Her death was occasioned by a nasal hemorrhage, brought on by over exertion in crossing a very high rail fence.

- ** 1. Nancy Cassell - married 2 Nov. 1843 to Allen T. Galford, and lived on the Greenbrier River near the mouth of Deer Creek.
See Galford family history for their children.
- 2. Mary Jane Cassell - married 9 June 1853 to Jacob Wilfong, when last heard of, they were in Minnesota.
- 3. James Cassell - died 17 May 1882 age 65. Married Margaret Ann Swink, of Rockbridge County, Va. they settled on the Greenbrier homestead.
- 4. Jacob Cassell, Jr. - Married Nancy Sharp, daughter of William Sharp, near Verdant Valley, below Fairview. They later settled in Illinois.
- 5. John Cassell - Married Sally Curry and moved west
- 6. William Cassell - settled on Back Alleghany where he spent the remainder of his life-- he was eight-two when he died.
Married twice:
#1 - 12 Mar. 1839 to Matilda Wanless, daughter of William Wanless and Nancy Wilson.
#2 - 11 July 1850 to Nancy Collins.
- 7. Samuel Cassell - Married Mary Eliza Valentine Tomlinson, of Augusta County, Virginia. They lived for a while on the Greenbrier homestead, then on Back Alleghany.

CASSELL FAMILY HISTORY

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2. Mary Jane Cassell - married 9 June 1853 to Jacob Wilfong, when last heard of, they were in Minnesota.
3. James Cassell - died 17 May 1882 age 65. Married Margaret Ann Swink, of Rockbridge County, Va. They settled on the Greenbrier homestead. Received land grant of 240 acres in 1857 on waters of Greenbrier, 66 acres on waters of Greenbrier in 1854
 1. John Cassell - born , married Louisa Cassell daughter of William and Nancy Cassell
 2. Samuel Cassell - died 1 June 1882 age 67, married Martha Hevener
 3. James Cassell - married Sarah Shinaberry
 4. Thomas Cassell - married Lydia Galford
 5. Ella Cassell - married Henry Kessler
 6. Nancy Jane Cassell - married 24 Oct. 1871 to Charles Benjamin Collins
 7. Rachel Ann Cassell - married Amos Gillespie
4. Jacob Cassell, Jr. - married Nancy Sharp, daughter of William Sharp, near Verdant Valley. They later settled in Illinois
5. John Cassell - married Sally Curry and moved west

6. William Cassell - settled on Back Alleghany where he spent the remainder of his life--he was eighty-two when he died.
He was married twice;
#1 - 12 Mar. 1839 to Matilda Wanless, daughter of William and Nancy Wanless William Cassell received land grants of 270 acres on Alleghany Run in 1835; 104 sq. p. on Alleghany Run in 1850; 320 acres on waters of Greenbrier in 1857
 1. Nancy Cassell - married 22 Sept. 1862 to Henry Barlow
 2. Jane Cassell -
 3. George Cassell - was a Confederate soldier and died of wounds received during the war
#2 - 11 July 1850 to Nancy Collins.
 1. Mary Catherine Cassell - married Thomas Beverage
 2. Martha Ellen Cassell - married Robert Sutton, teacher
 3. William Cassell, Jr. - married India Sutton
 4. Louisa Cassell - married John Cassell, son of James Cassell
 5. Charles Cassell - married Annie Geiger
 6. Sarah Ann Cassell - died age 13 years
 7. George Cassell - went to Texas and after many adventures on cattle ranches was drowned
7. Samuel Cassell - married Mary Eliza Valentine Tomlinson, of Augusta County, Virginia. They lived for a while on the Greenbrier homestead, then on Back Alleghany.
Samuel received land grants of 30 acres on waters of Greenbrier in 1854; 115 acres on Alleghany Run in 1857; and 280 acres on waters of Greenbrier in 1847.
 1. Nancy Cassell - married Harvey Hevener
 2. Jacob Cassell - married Clara Sutton
 3. Mary Ann Cassell - married 24 Nov. 1870 to Cyrus Tallman
 4. Alice Cassell - married John Wooddell
 5. Margaret Jane Cassell - married George Baxter
 6. Rachel Cassell - married Zechariah Swink
 7. Hannah Cassell - married George Wanless

Keep

Will Book 1 P 712
GREENSBORO CO. WV

112
James Callison
In the Name of God Amen. I James Callison of the
County of Greenbrier and State of Virginia do make ~~make~~ ordain
this my last Will and Testament Shewing all ~~all~~ others will and
Testament Cédula and requests by me hereafter made, first I commend
my soul to Almighty God who gave it and my Body I leave to be
Decently buried at at the discretion of my Executor hereafter named
and as to my worldly concerns I dispose of it as follows that is to
say. First I give and bequeath unto Margaret Coville Wife of
John Coville and to her heirs forever my plantation on which
it contains now ~~contains~~ 2¹/₂ I give and bequeath unto my sister
Betty Morrison forty dollars for the use of her and her children.
3^d I give and bequeath unto John Brown two hundred Dollars
4th I give and bequeath unto Sarah Brown wife to W^m Brown
twenty dollars. 5th I give and bequeath unto John H Brown
twenty Dollars. 6th I give and bequeath unto William H Brown
twenty Dollars. 7th I give and bequeath unto John Brown
two stoves and vessels. 8th I give and bequeath unto John
Brown son to John Brown my saddle. 9th I give and
bequeath unto Samuel Brown son to Paul Brown to be ex-
ecuted by my executor hereafter named in Schooley & Samuel
Brown New Dollars. 10th I give and bequeath all the re-
mainder of my Estate to be equally divided between George
and James Brown son to John Brown and Betty his
wife and James H Bruffen and James Brown a daughter of
Samuel Brown and James H Brown son to William H
11th And lastly I appoint John Brown Executor of this
my last Will and Testament in witness whereof I have
unto it my hand and affixed my seal this fourth
day of May one thousand eight hundred and twenty
two
James Callison

Wm R Beard

James Brown

John Brown

Greenbrier County West Virginia

July Term 1827

This paper purporting to be the last Will & Testament
of James Callison dec^d was presented in Court & proved by
the oaths of William R Beard & John Beard subscribers
Witnesses thereto to have been duly executed & the same is
ordered to be recorded & thereupon John Brown the
Executor therein named took the oath prescribed by
Law & also entered into bond in the sum of \$2,000.

with John R. Reynolds his security Conditioned as the Law directs
therefor on his motion Letters Testamentary is granted him
in due form

Lewis Stuart Cff

Keep

Will Book 1 P 712
EENBRIER Co. WV



112
In the Name of God Amen. I James Callison of the
County of Lincoln and State of Virginia do make ~~make~~ ^{make} and
this my last Will and Testament Resolving all ~~all~~ ^{all} other will and
testament ~~cedule~~ ^{cedule} and ~~testament~~ ^{testament} by me hereafter made. first I commend
my soul to Almighty God who gave it and my Body I leave to the
Bounty of Him at the discretion of my Executor hereafter named
and as to my worldly concerns I dispose of it as follows that is to
say. First I give and bequeath unto Margaret Conditte Wife of
John Conditte and to her heirs forever my plantation on which
she dwelleth now ~~dwelleth~~ ^{dwelleth} 2^d I give and bequeath unto my sister
Betty Morrison forty dollars for the use of her and her children.
3^d I give and bequeath unto John Brown two hundred Dollars
4th I give and bequeath unto Sarah Brown wife of W^m Brown
twenty dollars. 5th I give and bequeath unto John H Brown
twenty Dollars. 6th I give and bequeath unto William L Brown
twenty Dollars. 7th I give and bequeath unto John Brown
two shills and sixpence. 8th I give and bequeath unto Will
Brown son to John Brown my saddle. 9th I give and
bequeath unto Samuel Brown son to Basil Brown to be ex-
ecuted by my executor hereafter named in bequeathing to Samuel
Brown ten dollars. 10th I give and bequeath all the re-
main of my Estate to be equally divided between Margaret
and James Brown son to John Brown and Betty his
Wife and James L Braffee and Jane Brown a daughter of
Samuel Brown and James R Brown son to William H
11th And lastly I appoint John Brown Executor of this
my last Will and Testament in witness whereof I have
unto set my hand and affixed my seal this fourth
day of May one thousand eight hundred and twenty
two
Teste
Wm R Beard
James Brown

This paper purporting to be the last Will & Testament
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with John R. Reppel as security Conditioned as the law directs
thereupon on his motion Letters Testamentary is granted him
in due form
Teste
Lucius Stuart Cff

CLEEK FAMILY HISTORY

The Cleeck family came from Germany to America about 1732. The name is found in records as Gluck, Glick, Cleak, Cleck, Click, Clerk, and Cleeck. In his book, *Western Augusta Pioneers*, 1957, George Washington Cleeck wrote that Baltas Cleeck born 1699, came to this country from Germany in 1732 with his four sons. Their emigration was probably due to many factors-religious, economic, and political. (The book can be found at Green Bank Library, and McClintic Public Library, and can be bought at Bath Co. Historical Society).

In 1732, at age 32 when BALTAS CLEEK sailed from Rotterdam, however the voyage proved to be too much for Baltas and he became ill and died. In the book "Thirty Thousand Names of Immigrants" by Prof. I Daniel Rupp lists the following name on page 82:

September 26, 1732. Palatines imported in the Ship Mary,
of London, John Gray, Master from Rotterdam, last from Cowes.
Dead --- BALTAS CLICK, 33

Baltas Cleeck was our _____ great grandfather.

His four sons first settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania but moved in 1755 to the Valley of Virginia, in Rockbridge County near Natural Bridge.

1. Michael Cleeck, no further information
2. Mathias Cleeck - married Margaret _____
3. Palser Cleeck - died in 1803 in Botetourt County, Va,
married Sophia _____
- ** 4. JACOB CLEEK - born 1724 on the Rhine River, died 1813 in Bath
County, Virginia. Will recorded Bath Co. Will book 2, page 9, July
term of Court.

Jacob Cleeck is buried in the Jacob Cleeck Cemetery approximately ten miles north of Warm Springs, Virginia on U.S. Route 220.

He settled on Jackson River in 1790.

He married in 1764 to Christina Croddy, born 1730, still living in 1812. No information as to her death. See separate list on her father.

Jacob Cleeck served in the French and Indian War, 2nd Va. Regiment. There is a government marker on his grave:

Jacob Cleeck

Byrd's Co. 2nd Va. Regt. Indian War 1725-1813

Jacob and Christina were our _____ great grandparents,
they were the parents of 10 children:

1. Michael Cleek - died in 1834 in Pocahontas County, 6 children
2. Peter Cleek - migrate West, 1 son
3. George Washington Cleek - died 1 Dec. 1851 in Iowa City, Iowa.
married 1805 to Catherine Peck. 3 children
4. Mathias Cleek - born 1782, died 15 Aug. 1855 in Bath Co.
married 9 May 1815 to Elizabeth Crawford. 8 children
5. John Cleek - born 1777, died 15 April 1848 in Bath Co.
married in 1800 to James Gwin
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7 children
7. Sophia Cleek -
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9. Jacob Cleek - died 1803, unmarried
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2. Jonathan Potts - married twice:
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#2 - Carlotta Arbogast
3. Jacob Cleek Potts - married Elizabeth Wiley
4. Samuel Potts - died unmarried
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7. Mathias C. Potts - married Rachel _____

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Both John and Elizabeth died between 1850 and 1859. They may be buried in a unmarked grave in the Wanless Cemetery.

John and Margaret were our _____ great grandparents, they had 7 children:

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2. Benjamin Potts - born 1830
 3. Mary W. Potts - born 1832
 4. Sophia Potts - born 1835
 5. Jonathan Potts - born 1836
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Many descendants lived in Pocahontas County, West Virginia

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First Generation

1. Thomas COCHRAN. Born ABT 1745/1750 in Ireland. Died ABT 1808.

Thomas lived near Marvin in what is now lower Pocahontas Co., WV. He was on the Bath Co., VA, personal property tax lists for 1791-1794 and probably later. In the 1793 election, Bath Co., VA, he, John, & David were eligible to vote; he voted for Samuel Vance. In the 1794 election, Bath Co., VA, he voted for John White. On 13 AUG 1793 he bought 200 acres in Little Levels, Greenbrier, from John & Thomas Poage for 50 pounds. On 10 OCT 1797 he bought 37 acres in Little Levels from David & Susana Kinison for 50 pounds.

ABT 1774 Thomas first married Sarah or Mary MACKEMIE, in Parnassus, Augusta Co., VA. Died BEF 1786.

They had the following children:

- i. Mary. Born ABT 1772/1775 in Bath Co., VA. Died on 25 MAR 18 Buckeye Mt., Pocahontas Co., VA.

On 24 DEC 1794 Mary married William Tillitson AULDRIDGE, son of (-?-) AULDRIDGE & Elizabeth TILLITSON, in Bath Co., VA. Born ABT 1770 in VA. Died in NOV 1852 in Pocahontas Co., VA. For their descendants, see the [Auldrige page](#).

- ii. Elizabeth or Fannie.

On 19 MAY 1807 Elizabeth or Fannie married William CARAWAY, in Bath Co., VA.

- iii. Nancy.

Nancy married MASTERS.

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| 2 | iv. | John (1775-1857) |
| 3 | v. | Thomas (~1780-) |

On 13 OCT 1786 Thomas second married Eleanor "Nellie" JAMES, in Greenbrier Co., VA.

They had the following children:

- i. Mary.

In 1799 Mary married William COCHRAN, in Greenbrier Co., VA.

- ii. David. Born ABT 1787/1790. Died in OCT 1831.

On 11 DEC 1810 David married Sarah SALISBURY, in Greenbrier Co., VA. Born ABT 1794 in VA.

- iii. James. Born ABT 1790/1800 in Greenbrier Co., VA.

On 23 MAR 1815 James married Nancy HANNAH, in Greenbrier Co., VA. Born ABT 1800 in VA.

- iv. Rebecca.

On 30 JAN 1812 Rebecca first married William SALISBURY, in Greenbrier Co., VA.
Rebecca second married John BURNER.

- v. Isaac. Born ABT 1793 in VA. Occupation: stonemason.

Isaac married Jane "Jennie" SALISBURY. Born ABT 1794 in VA.

- vi. Solomon. Born ABT 1796 in VA. Occupation: farmer.

In FEB 1819 Solomon married Biddie SALISBURY, in Bath Co., VA. Born ABT 1785/1795 in Greenbrier Co., VA. Died on 14 DEC 1876 in Greenbrier Co., WV.

vii. William Grant. Born in 1798 in VA. Died in 1874. Occupation: millwright and blacksmith. Religion: Methodist Protestant.

On 14 SEP 1819 William Grant first married Jane YOUNG, in Bath Co., VA. Born ABT 1794 in VA.

On 11 MAR 1866 William Grant second married Malinda Frances MOORE, daughter of Aaron MOORE & Catherine "Katie" JOHNSON, in Pocahontas Co., WV. Born on 13 AUG 1829 in Pocahontas Co., VA. Died on 17 JAN 1917.

- viii. Eleanor "Nellie".

On 7 MAR 1826 Eleanor "Nellie" married John JAMES, in Pocahontas Co., VA.

ix. Jesse. Born ABT 1807 in Greenbrier Co., VA. Died on 21 JUN 1880 in Pocahontas Co., WV. Occupation: wheelwright.

On 9 JAN 1828 Jesse married Jane "Jennie" JAMES, in Pocahontas Co., VA. Born ABT 1800/1801 in VA. Died AFT 1880.

- x. Samuel.

Second Generation

2. John COCHRAN. Born in 1775/1780 in Bath Co., VA. Died on 16 NOV 1857 in Little Levels, Pocahontas Co., VA. Occupation: farmer.

John first married Elizabeth JAMES. Died AFT 1840.

They had the following children:

- i. Margaret "Peggy". Born ABT 1798 in VA.

On 29 OCT 1839 Margaret "Peggy" married Jacob SHUE, in Pocahontas Co., VA. Died BEF 1860.

- 4 ii. Thomas (~1798-)
5 iii. David James (~1801-)

- iv. John.
- v. William.
- vi. Sarah "Sally". Born ABT 1807 in VA.

On 7 DEC 1838 Sarah "Sally" married James WAUGH, in Pocahontas Co., VA. Born ABT 1817 in VA.

- vii. Frances.

On 12 NOV 1835 Frances married John SMITH, in Pocahontas Co., VA.

- viii. Elizabeth. Born ABT 1810 in VA.

John second married Frances.

3. Thomas COCHRAN. Born ABT 1780/1784.

On 27 AUG 1807 Thomas married Mary SALISBURY, in Bath Co., VA. Died BEF 1850.

They had the following children:

- i. Gordon.
- ii. Robert.
- iii. William.
- 6 iv. Richard (-1815-)
- v. Deemie.
- vi. Sabrie.

Third Generation

4. Thomas COCHRAN. Born ABT 1798/1799 in VA. Occupation: millwright.

On 15 NOV 1825 Thomas married Sarah SKEENE, in Pocahontas Co., VA. Born ABT 1797/1799 in VA.

They had the following children:

7 i. Harriet (-1826-)
ii. America. Born in MAY 1830 in VA. Died ABT 1905. Occupation: teacher. America made her will 3 APR 1903; it was partly proved by oath of G. L. Auldridge 21 SEP 1905 and was probated 3 MAY 1909.

- 8 iii. Eliza J. (1832-)
- 9 iv. Franklin Skein (1834-BEF 1910)

5. David James COCHRAN. Born ABT 1801 in VA.

On 22 DEC 1822 David James married Elizabeth CORBY, in Pocahontas Co., VA. Born ABT 1796.

They had the following children:

- 10 i. William C. (-1824-)
- ii. Hannah. Born in 1835.
- iii. Caroline. Born in 1841.
- iv. May. Born in 1843.

6. Richard COCHRAN. Born ABT 1815 in VA. Occupation: farmer.

On 2 APR 1845 Richard married Tabitha TIDD, in Pocahontas Co., VA. Born ABT 1824 in VA.

They had the following children:

- i. Caroline. Born ABT 1844 in VA.
- ii. Mary A. Born ABT 1846 in VA.
- iii. Sarah M. Born ABT 1849 in VA.

Fourth Generation

7. Harriet COCHRAN. Born ABT 1826 in VA.

On 19 SEP 1852 Harriet married Thomas C. WOODELL, in Pocahontas Co., VA.

They had the following children:

- i. Davis. Born ABT 1853 in VA.
- ii. Edgar S. Born ABT 1857 in VA.
- iii. Mary W. Born in 1859 in VA.

8. Eliza J. COCHRAN. Born in SEP 1832 in VA. Occupation: farmer.

Child:

- 11 i. Clara A. (1864-)

9. Franklin Skein COCHRAN. Born in JAN 1834 in Pocahontas Co., VA. Died BEF 1910. Occupation: farmer.

On 31 DEC 1863 Franklin Skein first married Frances E. PRICE, in Pocahontas Co., WV. Born in 1839 in Pocahontas Co., VA. Died BEF 16 JAN 1869.

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They had the following children:

- 12 i. Harry Skein (1894-1959)
- ii. Mary C. Born in JUN 1898 in WV.

10. William C. COCHRAN. Born ABT 1824 in Pocahontas Co., VA.

William C. married Isabelle LYNCH. Born ABT 1824.

They had the following children:

- 13 i. Presley Brown (1846-1926)
- ii. Isabella. Born ABT 1849.
- iii. John L. Born ABT 1851.
- iv. Frances. Born ABT 1853.
- v. Nancy J. Born ABT 1858.
- vi. Susan. Born ABT 1864.

Fifth Generation

11. Clara A. COCHRAN. Born on 24 OCT 1864/65 in Pocahontas Co., WV. Occupation: carpet weaver.

On 5 NOV 1890 Clara A. married Stephen P. MILLER, in Pocahontas Co., WV. Born in OCT 1866 in Bath Co., VA. Died BEF 1910.

They had the following children:

- i. Wilbur or Wilbert P. Born in AUG 1891 in WV. Occupation: la
- ii. Cash R. Born in APR 1893 in WV. Occupation: laborer.

12. Harry Skein COCHRAN. Born on 28 DEC 1894 in Mill Pt., Pocahontas Co., WV. Died on 22 JAN 1959 in Marlinton, Pocahontas Co., WV. Occupation: woodsman.

On 21 JUN 1916 Harry Skein first married Iva May ROGERS, in Pocahontas Co., WV. Born ABT 1892 in Pocahontas Co., WV.

They had one child:

- i. Pearl S. Born on 12 DEC 1916 in Buckeye, Pocahontas Co., WV on 6 AUG 1992 in Lanexa, VA. Buried in Lanexa, VA.

Pearl S. married Clinton A. ROGERS.

On 4 MAR 1920 Harry Skein second married Lottie ROBINSON, in Marlinton, Pocahontas Co., WV. Born on 2 FEB 1900 in Highland Co., VA. Died on 4 NOV 1977 in Hillsboro, Pocahontas Co., WV.

They had the following children:

- i. Harold Lee. Born ABT 1920 in Campbelltown, Pocahontas Co., on 8 JUL 1944 in Spruce Flats, Pocahontas Co., WV. Buried in Marlinton, Pocahontas Co., WV. Occupation: farmer.

On 19 JUL 1941 Harold Lee married Edna May SHARP, in Edray, Pocahontas Co., WV. Born ABT 1925 in Pocahontas Co., WV.

- ii. Lawrence.
- iii. Evelyn.

Evelyn married CROCKETT.

13. Presley Brown COCHRAN. Born on 22 JUL 1846 in Nicholas Co., VA. Died on 24 JUN 1926 in Webster Co., WV. Buried in Cogar Cemetery.

Presley Brown married Sara Jane COGAR. Born on 25 APR 1843 in Braxton Co., VA. Died on 20 JUN 1936 in Webster Co., WV.

They had the following children:

- 14 i. Lurana (twin) (1868-1961)
- ii. John Morgan (twin). Born on 26 MAR 1868 in Webster Co., WV. 23 OCT 1951 in Webster Co., WV.

On 25 DEC 1895 John Morgan married Margaret E. CLIFTON.

- iii. Benjamin Harrison. Born on 10 JAN 1872 in Webster Co., WV. on 28 FEB 1965.

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- iv. Peter J. Born on 4 MAR 1873 in Webster Co., WV. Died on 31

1959.

On 16 MAY 1897 Peter J. first married Minnie B. CLEVINGER.

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In 1894 Mary I. married Jasper Newton KNIGHT.

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DEC 1950.

Dock married Emily Ann BELKNAP.

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on 9 MAY 1905.

ix. Malinda M. Born on 3 JUN 1883 in Webster Co., WV. Died on 1
1933.

Malinda M. married Daniel H. Clifton.

x. Charles J. S. R. Born ABT 1885. Died in 1944.

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xi. Susan Elizabeth. Born on 10 OCT 1890. Died on 10 MAR 1979.

Susan Elizabeth married Preston Mathew COOL.

Sixth Generation

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They had at least two children:

1. Jennie Galford - married Otho Gum, they lived in Crab Bottom, now Hightown, Highland County, Virginia.
- **2. JOHN THOMAS GALFORD - born 1757 died January or February 1818. His will was written 20 January 1816. It is recorded will book 2, page 177, Bath County, Virginia. Married Naomi V. Slaven, born 30 January 1758. Daughter of John Slaven, see Slaven family history.

288 acres was granted to him by King George II prior to the Revolutionary War. See his muster payroll. They first lived near Dinwiddie, Virginia in 1780, they later settled on Sitlington Creek, near Dunmore, WV.

John and Naomi were our _____ great grandparents,
They had 3 sons and 4 daughters:

1. Nancy J. Galford - married 24 Dec. 1816 to John Chestnut and lived on Little Back Creek, Va.
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3. Jane Galford - married 21 May 1821 to John Gum
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6. Thomas Galford - born 1793, died 1864-1865. Lived on Glade Hill, in Pocahontas County. Married three times:
#1 - 22 Oct. 1814 to Elizabeth Slaven
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#3 - 8 Jan. 1844 to Henrietta Sutton
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John and his wife first lived in Pocahontas County, in the very early 1850's he and his family lived for a short time in Lewis County. They lived on Glade Hill, Dunmore. He was a Confederate Soldier in the 31st Virginia Infantry.

1. Margaret B. Galford - born 1832, married 3 Dec. 1860 to William Spuanugle
2. Naomi Galford - born 1828, died young in Lewis Co.
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ALLEN and NANCY were our _____ great grandparents,
 They had eight children:

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3. James Hanson Galford - born 10 Jan. 1850, died 3 July 1902, buried Hill Top Cem. Married 25 April 1878 to Margaret Rebecca Logan
4. Hannah Galford - born 8 Aug. 1853, died 29 Dec. 1939, buried Tacy Cem. Married 22 Feb. 1876 to George Dallas McLaughlin
5. Margaret "Maggie" Galford - born 23 Feb. 1861, died 11 Mar. 1949, buried Cochran Cem. Married 16 Mar. 1885 to Samuel D. McClure.

6. Ann A. Galford - born _____ died _____
married 1 July 1870 to Alexander Hefner
7. John C. Galford - born 14 Dec. 1859, died 3 May 1894,
Married 5 Mar. 1885 to Sarah Agnes Chestnut
118. MARY CAROLINE GALFORD - born 28 June 1856,
died 3 May 1948, married 3 Sept. 1874 to
GEORGE NORMAN TACY. Both buried Tacy Cem. near Cass.

MARY and GEORGE were our _____ great grandparents
See Tacy family history for their children.

eat care. But when trout are caught under these conditions every one is a large one. I was angling that day—I was taking those fish.

The hook is carried swiftly down and a foot or so below a big rakish body will rise to the surface and take it in as it floats.

Under these circumstances a six inch trout will look like a nine inch. If it is a fly the trout is on the bank in the fraction of a second. If it takes units of its bow a succulent and nourishing worm, the line cuts strange loops in the swirling water and the fisher is in an agony of uncertainty and doubt as to when to strike. Sometimes in these deep swirling rapids the trout comes and refuses the bait, and you must just make out its outlines by the red on its sides as though looking through a twisted glass.

In the spring trout like to frequent the riffles where the water flows swiftly down and yet affords sufficient depth to cover them. Under these circumstances they may be taken with a short line and line, for the swirling water ruffles the surface and obscures the view.

Then you see a wonderful power. The stream may be rushing with the speed of a mill race, and it would seem that the very boulders on the bottom would be rolled from their places, and yet the trout seems never to move in to maintain its motionless position against the current. It may be that it is lying on the bottom or is moving propellers which cannot see.

When a big boulder is found in the stream or a rack heap of rocks it becomes an abiding place for trout and the cover it affords the veriest novice renders such places very dangerous to fish. Such places soon become "fished

Obituary.

After a lingering and painful illness of some weeks, Mrs. Nancy Galford departed this life at the home of her son, Brown Galford, near the town of Cass. She was a daughter of Jacob Cassell, a pioneer of the upper Greenbrier at Cassell's Ford, and widow of the late Allen Galford, Esq. The most of her married life was passed at the old homestead near which the town of Cass now stands.

Her birth date was April 13, 1819, and she died May 15, 1903. One son, Brown Galford, three daughters, Mrs. Dallas McLaughlin, Mrs. George Tacey and Mrs. David McClure, thirty grandchildren and several great-grandchildren, survive her.

She was received into the pale of the Presbyterian church, by Rev. Wm. T. Price about 13 years ago, at McLaughlin chapel, and the incident is recalled by him as one of the most touching and impressive in the course of his ministerial service. Friends and neighbors heartily testify that her christian deportment was sincere and consistent.

The memorial services were conducted at the McLaughlin Chapel by Rev. J. W. McNeel and the undersigned who preached the sermon for the occasion by the request of the family. Husband and wife now rest side by side at the old homestead, the scene of their mutual toils and endeavors, for so many years.

H. M. McLaughlin.

Commissioners Notice.

Commissioner's Office,
Marlinton, W. Va.

April 23, 1903

Sarah F. Burnside, Admx.

vs.

James A. Burnside's Heirs and others.

Pursuant to a decree of the

TO THE HILL COUNTRY

A Visit to The Hills of Judea

Notes Along The Route by The Progressive Pilgrim,

Soon after leaving the train from Buckeye, returning from my Stone Foot Log excursion and wondering when the next hymeneal event would transpire I met Samuel P. Landes on the walk opposite the Bank, upon explaining my pleasure at seeing him so nicely spruced up, he modestly inquired if I felt myself able to make a trip to the Hills, as far as Rev. G. S. Weiford's, on the 5th of May, where I would see when I got there what might be up. I caught on for a wonder, and another trip emerged to view and whoever reads this will find out that what it all came to. Squire Kee was so kind as to furnish a conveyance on Monday 4th of May. Early in the afternoon he and his daughter Willietta drove up to the Inframonte gate, and she and I took charge of the team and set out for the Hills via Huntersville.

At Spice island our attention was called to a beautiful hemlock bush growing on the dead and decayed branch of a sycamore tree hanging over the water, ere long the branch will fall off and carry the beautiful young tree with it into the flood and be carried away.

This seems to illustrate the transitory and unsafe basis on which human hopes may be placed when we look for happiness only in changing and transitory things so soon to be borne away by the stream of time.

"Religion should our thoughts engage
Amidst our youthfull bloom

Commissioner's S

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, made at its Term, 1903, there is a decree of the Court of the cause of Uriah John Grogg and others, undersigned special

will on Tuesday, June 1st, at the front door house of said Pocahontas County, proceed to sell by public auction to the highest bidder the following real estate Greenbank District

A tract of 310 acres same land conveyed to John V. Grogg by John V. Grogg and others on the 28th of May, 1893, by deed of record in Deed Book 276. The forty acres of M. Grogg and the Smith & Whiting from this sale.

TERMS OF SALE

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I, J. H. Patters, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the special commission required by said J. H. PATTEN

Order of Pub

State of West Virginia, Pocahontas County. At rules held in the office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, Monday in May, 1903. J. E. Erwin, Guarant. M. Erwin, George and Frank L. Erwin, vs. Mary M. Erwin, (Erwin, Frank L. Moore, Sheriff

Mrs Hannah Galford McLaughlin, aged 87 years, widow of the late Dallas McLaughlin, died at her home near Stony Bottom on Friday, December 29, 1939. On Sunday afternoon her body was buried in the Tacy family graveyard on Hack Alleghany Mountain, the funeral being conducted from Alexander Memorial Church by her pastor, Rev. J. T. Pharr. Mrs. McLaughlin was a daughter of the late Allan and Nancy Jane Cassell Galford. Of her father's family there remain her sisters, Mrs. Caroline Tacy and Mrs. Alice M. McClure.

She became the wife of Dallas McLaughlin, who died some years since. Their children are Mrs. C. P. Adams, Mrs. O. M. Hook and Mrs. Duncan Moore.

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, , , England

Death: 24 Feb 1848

Marlinton, , Wv

Parents:**Marriage(s):**Spouse: [John JOHNSON \(AFN: 19XQ-TKD\)](#)[Family](#)

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DANIEL KELLISON FAMILY HISTORY

Daniel Kellison, Sr. was born ca 1760, married 12 Dec. 1781 to Mary Tharps.

They had 6 children:

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His death is recorded at Pocahontas County Courthouse.

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3. Antus or Anstris Kellison - married 6 April 1810 to Thomas Ewing, in Bath County
4. Mary Kellison - married 19 August 1801 to Benjamin Delaney, in Bath County
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EDWARD KELLISON FAMILY HISTORY

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Edward and Mary were our _____ great grandparents.

They were the parents of at least 11 children:

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Married twice:
#1 - 9 Sept. 1852 to Sarah Ann Morrison, born 1832-1837
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 9. William D. B. Kellison - born 1869

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 10. Mathew C. Kellison - born 1864
 11. Virginia D. Kellison - born 1866
5. Mary Kellison - born 1827, died
Married 5 Jan. 1843 to John Rucker
 1. Jackson Rucker - born 1842
 2. Mary A. Rucker - born 1846
6. Nancy Kellison - born 1821, died
Married 5 May 1867 to Morris Sharp, he lost an arm in the Civil War, see Sharp family history in Historical Sketches
7. Rebecca J. Kellison - born 1822, died
Married 14 July 1853 to David J. Barrett
 1. Elizabeth C. Barrett - born 1855
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Married 30 Dec. 1856 to Thomas Adkison
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Married 15 March 1866 to Philip Marion
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MCAVOY FAMILY HISTORY

John McAvoy is the progenitor of the McAvoy families of Bath County and of those that later settled in the western counties of Virginia, now called West Virginia.

The circumstances of John McAvoy's coming to America from Northern Ireland are reported by Dren F. Morton in his History of Highland County. A more complete copy of this family story, and perhaps Morton's source, is a hand written version by J. H. Burns as it was told to him in 1888 by the granddaughter of John McAvoy. The story remained a family legend and is again reported by W. B. Outright in his History of Upshur County, an area where McAvoy families settled after leaving Bath County. (Below is the article from History of Highland County).

Indentured white servants were not rare in the Augusta colony. The general influence of the system was not good, since it led to black slavery and also fostered immorality. The female servant who became the mother of a bastard was made to serve an extra year. Servants often ran away, and if captured, they were forced to serve extra time as an offset to the cost of recovery, this being adjudicated by the county court. Wallace Estill made a claim of this sort in 1756, specifying twelve days as spent in the recovery.

John McAvoy and thirteen other youths were kidnapped from Ireland and brought to Virginia. Several of the boys were recovered by their parents. McAvoy was sold to Robert Carlile, and by him resold to a man in the Valley. While in the service of the latter he married Frances Pritt, but returned to the Bull Pasture before his time was out. His owner came and took him back. At length his wife went to where he was, carrying her child, and the morning after her arrival she said she would have to go back. Pritt's master offered his servant a horse to take his wife a distance, but she refused the help, and the pair walked slowly out of the settlement. Presently the wife tucked her cloak into her belt, took her child, and said to her companion, "Now put down your foot,". He did put down his foot and continued doing so until after walking all day and the following night, they reached the Bull Pasture. McAvoy was not again disturbed, and later on became a resident of Bath County, where the Wilson, Carpenter, Given and Townsend families had settled.

John Burns and were our _____ great grandparents.

Two sons were born to John McAvoy and Frances Pritt. The older, Robert, was born about 1777 and James about eight years later.

Robert McAvoy reached manhood in Bath County and married 23 February 1789 to Sarah Burns, daughter of John Burns and Mary Shibe. See Burns family history. They were our _____ great grandparents.

Robert and Sarah Burns had eight children all of whom were born in Bath County. The first five marriages occurred in Bath County. The last three marriages occurred in Upshur County.

1. John McAvoy - married in 1799 to Jane McLaughlin
2. Mary McAvoy - married in 1808 to Isaac Wilson
- * * 3. Rosanna McAvoy - married in 1796, died married in _____ to James Townsend, Sr. born 1792. See Townsend family history.
4. Hannah Frances McAvoy - married in 1806 to Ezekiel Townsend, Jr.
5. Elizabeth McAvoy - married in 1810 to Taylor Townsend
6. James McAvoy - married in 1809 to Louisa Young
7. Robert McAvoy - married in 1814 to Margaret Wilson
8. Sarah McAvoy - married in 1818 to Cyrus Brake

In 1828, Robert McAvoy sold his last piece of property in Bath County and relocated with some of his children and their families in Centerville, Lewis County (now Rock Cave, Upshur County).

Robert and Sarah lived out their lives in Upshur County. They are buried in Rock Cave or other cemetery near by. Descendants of their children still live in the Rock Cave area.

James McAvoy, the younger son of John McAvoy and Frances Pritt, married in March 1807 to Nancy Agnes Given, daughter of Robert Given and Margaret Elliott in Bath County.

To this marriage, eight children were born in Bath County. Three died in youth.

1. John McAvoy - died in 1810
2. Fanny McAvoy - died in 1822
3. Jane McAvoy - died in 1824
4. Margaret Elliott McAvoy - married in Bath County on 24 Jan. 1833 to Samuel Corbitt Carpenter, son of Joseph Carpenter and Martha Wiley. They had three children.
5. Robert McAvoy - born 1808, married 29 June 1833 to Nancy Duffield
6. James McAvoy - born 1815, died 1878, married to Tabitha Jackson Rogers, they had six children.
7. Samuel McAvoy - born 1819, died 1890, never married, died in Webster County.
8. William McAvoy - settled in Webster County. Married Cassandra Weese

McGlaughlin\McLaughlin Family History

Not much is known about the parents of the children listed below. I have spoke and written to several people and they can't find their parents. I have a theory that several people accept. But it is hard to write it on paper and have it sound simple.

In Historical Sketches of Pocahontas County, 1901, page 319, it mentions only two sisters Jane and Nancy and two brothers William and John. But on page 409 in the Jacob Cassell history it mentions that his wife was a sister to Squire Hugh McLaughlin of Marlinton.

In John McLaughlin's will 1838 recorded in Pocahontas County, it mentions that he wanted "my friend and brother Hugh McLaughlin as executor of his will."

In a land survey of Hugh McLaughlin's it mentions his name as Hugh McLaughlin, Jr. This is important because that might mean that their father could have been Hugh McLaughlin.

In the late 1790's a Hugh McLaughlin and his brother James McLaughlin moved from Bath County, Va. to Lewisburg and set up a bar.

It may be that Hugh had the first four children to one wife and she died, then he later married another lady and had one child, Hugh McLaughlin.

In any event I feel that Hugh McLaughlin, Sr. who lived in Lewisburg, and had a bar, was the father to all five children listed below. I did not list him as a father on the family tree chart so as not to mislead anyone.

1. William McLaughlin - lived on the head of Jackson River; later settled on Thomas Creek, near Dunmore, WV. He is the father of almost all Dunmore McLaughlins. Married Nancy Wiley around 1825.
1. Mary Jane McLaughlin - married 24 Mar. 1863 to John Hiner and lived on Jacksons River.
2. Rachel Ann McLaughlin - married 8 Aug. 1867 to Jacob Beverage and lived on the Old Field Fork of Elk

3. Elizabeth McLaughlin - married 17 May 1853 to James Townsend, Jr. and lived on Back Alleghany, near Driftwood.
 4. Hugh McLaughlin married 25 Dec. 1860 to Nancy Ann Ratliff, and lived on a section of the Thomas creek homestead.
 - * 5. Robert McLaughlin - married twice. See his separate family history.
2. Nancy McLaughlin - born 1779 - died 1849 of nose bleed. married 18 Feb. 1805 to Jacob Cassell, Sr. Lived on Greenbrier River at Cassell Ford, 4 miles west of Green Bank, WV. Their daughter Nancy Cassell married her first cousin, Allen T. Galford.
 3. Jane G. McLaughlin - born 1789, married 31 Oct. 1811 to John Thomas Galford. Her son married Nancy Cassell.
 4. Hugh McLaughlin - born 1801, he was given the title of Squire. Which could have meant that he served on the County Court, he also held much land in his time.
 5. John McLaughlin - born about 1790, died 1838 married 8 March 1810 to Lucretia "Clarissa" Gregory. Joseph Gregory, her father, gave permission for "Creasy" to marry. Marriage is recorded in Bath County, Virginia. Minister was Otho Wade, witness David McLaughlin. They settled on a place later owned by Allen T. Galford at the Mouth of Deer Creek. The 1850 Census of Pocahontas states that Lucretia was born 1783. John's will is on record in Pocahontas County. It mentions: "my friend and brother Hugh McGlaughlin".
1. James McLaughlin - married 7 June 1832 to Susan B. Nottingham. They migrated west.
 2. Elizabeth McLaughlin - married 10 June 1842 to Harvey Ratcliffe and settled in Roane County, WV. In 1850 census: Harvey is listed as 33 and Elizabeth age 31. Their children were:
 1. Laura J. Ratcliffe - born 1842
 2. George W. Ratcliffe - born 1843
 3. Lucretia E. T. Ratcliffe - born 1847
 4. Martha E. Ratcliffe - born July 1850
 3. Nancy McLaughlin - married 9 Jan. 1834 to Henry Higgins and lived near Clover Lick.
 4. John McLaughlin - our _____ great grandfather. see next page for his history.

ROBERT MCGLAUGHLIN FAMILY HISTORY
SON OF WILLIAM MCGLAUGHLIN

Martha M.
Robert (or ~~Thomas Robert~~ *Rusmisell*) McGlaughlin married two times.
First Minta Rusmisell, second Lydia Rushusell. These ladies were
cousins and were from near Moscow, Augusta County, Virginia.

Children from the first marriage:

1. ^{E.} Nebraska McLaughlin - born 1867, died 1939.
Married Howard Skyles
2. ~~Robert~~ Melissa McLaughlin - born 1869, died 1953
never married
3. *Martha A.* Lovie McLaughlin - born 1872, died 1932,
married Lee Nottingham
4. *William* Christopher McLaughlin - born 1874, died 1969,
married Fannie Moore
5. *Mary* Catherin^R McLaughlin - born 1874, died 1969
married John Galford
6. ^f Bertha McLaughlin - born 1878, died 1985,
married Charlie Bush
7. *Robert* Lawrence McLaughlin - born 1879, died 1960
married Maize Hite
- * 8. Cameron McLaughlin - born 1881, died 1964
married Josie Rusimsell
9. Russell McLaughlin - born 1882, died 1950
married Hattie Moore

children from the second marriage:

1. Joseph McLaughlin - born 1892 died 1918 WWI
2. Osel McLaughlin - born 1894, died 1925, single
3. Guy McLaughlin - born 1895, died 1962 married
Dessie Queen
4. Elmer McLaughlin - born 1888, died 1979
married twice:
#1 - Ethel Wilfong

#2- Ruth Galford

1. & 2. twins died at birth

3. Eleanor McLaughlin - born 1913,
single, retired school teacher

4. Decima McLaughlin - born 1914, died 1943
married McLaughling

5. Annie McLaughlin -

6. Joseph Rene McLaughlin - born 1818, died 1958.
married Mary Katheryn Smith.

1. Mary Irene McLaughlin - born
married Leo Mace

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7. Cale McLaughlin - born 1919, died 1970,
20 years in Navy

8. Azel McLaughlin - born 1922, died 1976
married Zola Queen

9. Chester McLaughlin - born 1923,
married Rebecca Jackson

10. Shad McLaughlin - born 1924
married Osa Smith

11. Robert McLaughlin - born 1929,
died 1989, married Dorothy Hansford

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Died: 19 Oct 1864 **Place:** Cedar Creek**7. Sex Name****F** Nancy MCLAUGHLIN (AFN:1BVQ-SHN)[Pedigree](#)**Born:** Abt. 1848 **Place:** <Bath Co., Va>

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Mother:

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Born: Abt. 1890 Place:

3. Sex Name

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Born: 1891 Place:

Died: 1961 Place:

4. Sex Name

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[Pedigree](#)

Born: 1882 Place:

Died: 1950 Place:

The
Mc Laughlin
Family

emigrants to P.A.
Annals of Bath Co.

This is to certify that Anne M. Laughlin, who was lawfully married together in Italy, according to Law given under my hand this 1st day of Novr 1790 To all whom these Presents shall come

By me in hope Clerk to
Genl. M.

Virginia

Anne M. Laughlin

widow of John M. Laughlin

who was a pensioner under the Act of 1782

and who died on the 19th, March 1788

of Batt. C^o in the State of Virginia

who was a private in the company

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
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State of Virginia
County of Bath ss.

On this Twenty second day of
April One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty one
personally appeared before the ~~Justices~~ ^{Judge} ~~of the~~ ^{of the} ~~County~~ ^{County} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~Bath~~ ^{Bath},
Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law & Chancery
for the said County of Bath, sitting in open Court
Anne ~~Glendon~~ ^{McGloughlin} a resident on Jackson
River in the County of Bath, as a State of Virginia,
aged Twenty Two years, who being first duly
sworn according to law, doth on her oath, make
the following declaration in order to ~~obtain~~ ^{obtain} the
benefit of the provisions made by the Act of Congress
passed July 7th 1838 entitled "An Act to amend
the several Acts to extend the term of the
widow of John McGloughlin who was a
private soldier in the Revolutionary Army. She
further declares that she was married to the said
John McGloughlin on the day of November
One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One,
that her husband the aforesaid John McGloughlin
died on the nineteenth day of March One Thou-
sand ^{and} ^{Eight} ^{Hundred} ^{and} ^{Thirty} ^{Eight}, that ^{that} ^{she} ^{was} ^{not} ^{married} ^{to} ^{him} ^{prior} ^{to} ^{his} ^{death}, ^{she} ^{was} ^{not} ^{married} ^{to} ^{him} ^{prior} ^{to} ^{his} ^{death},
but the ^{marriage} ^{took} ^{place} ^{previous} ^{to} ^{the} ^{first} ^{of} ^{January} ^{thirteen} ^{hundred} ^{and} ^{forty} ^{one},
and that at the time above stated
sworn to & subscribed on the day & year above
written, before me. She said Anne McGloughlin
further deposed that her husband the said John
McGloughlin was a ^{residence} ⁱⁿ ^{the} ^{United} ^{States}
at the time of his death.

Anne  McGloughlin
mark

Subscribed to and subscribed before me

Any & your first above written

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Edw Johnston

Commissioner of the Virginia

State Court

I, Edward Johnston, Clerk of the Circuit
Superior Court of this and Chancery for the County
of Loudoun do hereby certify that Edward Johnston
Virginia whose signature appears to this my
Certificate, and Declaration by James M. Wright,
was at the time of subscribing the same Judge
of the Court aforesaid within and for the said
County to all whose Office and as such
Judge and Clerk and as such to be given
and as such to be given

In testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
the seal of said Court this
29 day of September 1861
and 66th year of the Com-
mission of the
Edw Johnston Clerk